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NEW SOUTH WALES STATISTICAL BULLETIN

No. 1.—Population of New South Wales and Elements of Increase—Quarterly.

Period.	Estimated Population at end of Quarter.			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Period by Migration (Excess of Arrivals over Departures).				
					Interstate.			Oversea.*	Increase by Migration.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.		By Land and Air.	By Sea.	Total.	By Sea and Air.	
1948.									
Sept. Qr. ...	1,520,961	1,518,664	3,039,625	8,032	(-) 1,221	(-) 204	(-) 1,425	7,700	6,275
Dec. Qr. ...	1,531,990	1,530,354	3,062,344	9,766	818	307	1,125	11,828	12,953
Year ...	...	...	...	36,831	(-)10,106	(-) 518	(-)10,624	28,555	17,931
1949.									
March Qr....	1,545,909	1,540,471	3,086,380	10,005	296	120	416	13,615	14,031
June Qr. ...	1,561,592	1,552,067	3,113,659	9,498	2,437	521	2,958	14,823	17,781
Sept. Qr. ...	1,574,988	1,564,163	3,139,151	9,725	549	(-) 284	265	15,502	15,767
Dec. Qr. ...	1,594,724	1,581,211	3,175,935	10,220	5,003	(-) 722	4,341	22,223	26,564
Year ...	...	...	...	39,448	8,345	(-) 365	7,980	66,163	74,143
1950.									
March Qr....	1,610,106	1,593,872	3,203,978	11,227	1,932	(-) 1,642	290	16,526	16,816
June Qr. ...	1,621,456	1,603,786	3,225,242	10,233	(-) 419	183	(-) 236	11,267	11,031
Sept. Qr. ...	1,631,706	1,612,880	3,244,586	8,500	9	112	121	10,723	10,844
Dec. Qr. ...	1,649,479	1,628,547	3,278,026	10,667	3,006	(-) 530	2,476	20,297	22,773
Year ...	...	...	...	40,627	4,528	(-) 1,877	2,651	58,813	61,464
1951.									
March Qr....	1,661,946	1,641,171	3,303,117	11,242	1,750	(-) 3,419	(-) 1,669	15,518	13,849
June Qr. ...	1,669,470	1,647,712	3,317,182	9,765	(-) 5,335	(-) 438	(-) 5,773	10,073	4,300
Sept. Qr. ...	1,679,736	1,655,762	3,335,498	9,096	(-) 595	402	(-) 193	9,413	9,220
Dec. Qr. ...	1,692,368	1,666,392	3,358,760	10,034	1,143	(-) 1,012	131	13,097	13,228
Year ...	...	...	...	40,137	(-) 3,037	(-) 4,467	(-) 7,504	48,101	40,597

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals

* Net movement through ports of N.S.W.

No. 2.—Population of New South Wales—Annual Estimates.

Year.	Population at Date shown.			Mean Population for Year.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
At 30th June.						
1939...	1,385,051	1,363,342	2,748,393	1,379,589	1,355,811	2,735,400
1940...	1,396,989	1,379,962	2,776,951	1,391,960	1,372,264	2,764,224
1941...	1,403,840	1,394,440	2,798,280	1,401,796	1,388,291	2,790,087
1942...	1,417,563	1,411,134	2,828,697	1,410,556	1,402,820	2,813,385
1943...	1,430,972	1,426,731	2,857,703	1,426,217	1,419,588	2,845,805
1944...	1,443,478	1,443,096	2,886,574	1,436,681	1,434,771	2,871,452
1945...	1,457,500	1,460,878	2,918,378	1,449,907	1,451,552	2,901,459
1946...	1,471,066	1,473,634	2,944,700	1,464,502	1,467,864	2,932,366
1947 (Census, 30th June)...	1,492,211	1,492,627	2,984,838	1,480,897	1,482,159	2,963,056
1948...	1,513,563	1,511,755	3,025,318	1,503,780	1,502,092	3,006,481
1949...	1,561,592	1,552,067	3,113,659	1,533,884	1,530,089	3,063,973
1950...	1,621,456	1,603,786	3,225,242	1,592,739	1,579,201	3,171,940
1951...	1,669,470	1,647,712	3,317,182	1,647,041	1,627,066	3,274,107
At 31st December.						
1939...	1,393,358	1,373,057	2,766,415	1,386,112	1,364,093	2,750,205
1940...	1,402,297	1,388,651	2,790,948	1,397,290	1,380,608	2,777,898
1941...	1,410,509	1,402,547	2,813,056	1,405,425	1,395,112	2,800,537
1942...	1,427,739	1,420,401	2,848,140	1,419,168	1,411,912	2,831,080
1943...	1,436,177	1,434,534	2,870,711	1,430,908	1,426,639	2,857,547
1944...	1,449,511	1,451,488	2,901,039	1,443,094	1,443,110	2,886,204
1945...	1,464,686	1,468,312	2,932,998	1,457,182	1,460,233	2,917,415
1946...	1,480,644	1,481,748	2,962,392	1,471,419	1,473,801	2,945,220
1947...	1,504,350	1,503,232	3,007,582	1,492,311	1,492,762	2,985,073
1948...	1,531,990	1,530,354	3,062,344	1,515,909	1,513,664	3,029,573
1949...	1,594,724	1,581,211	3,175,935	1,561,124	1,552,853	3,113,977
1950...	1,649,479	1,628,547	3,278,026	1,621,197	1,603,695	3,224,892
1951...	1,692,368	1,666,392	3,358,760	1,670,626	1,648,174	3,318,800

No. 3.—Estimated Age Distribution of the Population of New South Wales as at 30th June, 1951.

Age Group (years).	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Age Group (years).	Males.	Females.	Persons.
0-4	181,344	174,086	355,430	50-54	86,284	89,674	175,958
5-9	146,697	141,176	287,873	55-59	73,955	79,916	153,871
10-14	121,227	118,082	239,309	60-64	71,947	76,101	148,048
15-19	113,467	108,145	221,612	65-69	52,135	57,267	109,402
20-24	136,085	125,308	261,393	70-74	33,648	41,002	74,650
25-29	144,755	136,192	280,947	75 and over	33,442	44,903	78,345
30-34	130,973	128,296	259,269	All ages	1,669,470	1,647,712	3,317,182
35-39	128,161	124,457	252,618	Under 21 years	587,761	565,298	1,153,059
40-44	117,895	111,658	229,553	21 years and over	1,081,709	1,082,414	2,164,123
45-49	97,455	91,449	188,904				

No. 4.—Net Migration* to and from New South Wales—Recorded Movement.

Country.	Year.				Quarter.			
	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.	Mar. Qr., 1951.	June Qr., 1951.	Sept. Qr., 1951.	Dec. Qr., 1951.
Interstate—								
Victoria	(-) 10,387	18,776	16,228	8,419	3,828	3,449	285	857
Queensland	(-) 2,493	(-) 6,850	(-) 8,280	(-) 5,675	(-) 735	(-) 7,317	892	1,485
South Australia	545	(-) 2,209	(-) 4,454	(-) 5,205	(-) 603	(-) 1,297	(-) 1,566	(-) 1,739
Western Australia	889	(-) 869	(-) 1,412	(-) 2,327	(-) 1,015	(-) 317	71	(-) 1,066
Tasmania	533	208	378	124	(-) 128	46	226	(-) 20
Northern Territory	(-) 40	(-) 47	(-) 1	151	12	11	5	123
Aust. Cap. Territory	329	(-) 1,029	192	(-) 2,991	(-) 3,028	(-) 348	(-) 106	491
Total, Interstate	(-) 10,624	7,980	2,651	(-) 7,504	(-) 1,669	(-) 5,773	(-) 193	131
Overseas†—								
United Kingdom	10,590	16,740	19,779	25,227	5,506	4,355	6,478	8,888
Canada	53	211	300	252	364	55	(-) 129	72
New Zealand	312	(-) 1,970	(-) 2,372	(-) 3,160	669	558	(-) 1,462	(-) 2,925
Other British Countries	2,911	4,918	5,302	4,898	1,233	1,176	991	1,498
Egypt	551	1,330	1,421	1,572	876	181	118	397
Germany	1,616	7	8,652	393	130	200	61	2
Italy	4,597	36,360	17,017	5,288	1,460	865	1,426	1,537
Netherlands	†	†	4,885	9,197	3,434	3,237	964	1,562
United States of America	2,633	1,203	735	1,248	202	(-) 31	395	682
Japan	4,221	3,584	497	3,186	1,644	(-) 413	571	1,384
Other Countries	1,071	3,780	2,597					
Total, Overseas	28,555	66,163	58,813	48,101	15,518	10,073	9,473	13,097
Net Migration	17,931	74,143	61,464	40,597	13,849	4,300	9,220	13,228

* Excess of arrivals over departures; (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

† Net movement through ports of N.S.W.

‡ Included in "Other Countries."

No. 5.—Net Permanent* Oversea Migration According to Nationality.

Nationality.	N.S.W.†		Australia.					
	Year.		Year.			Quarter.		
	1949.	1950.	1949.	1950.	1951.	Mar. Qr., 1951.	June Qr., 1951.	Sept. Qr., 1951.
British ‡	21,434	22,399	51,570	49,512	52,854	13,510	13,033	12,910
American (U.S.)	619	679	608	729	639	285	142	128
Chinese	278	471	281	518	584	54	161	189
Czechoslovak	1,883	1,646	4,100	5,020	1,034	473	232	151
Dutch	506	6,571	1,223	11,100	12,996	4,840	4,468	1,330
Estonian	1,221	397	3,087	1,207	216	94	57	23
French	229	334	370	517	702	214	221	97
German	592	549	1,565	1,446	4,279	548	1,042	1,029
Greek	669	534	1,639	1,650	2,513	949	432	580
Hungarian	2,542	1,961	5,630	5,372	1,431	776	243	164
Italian	3,056	3,174	10,394	12,900	16,344	4,781	4,450	3,441
Latvian	4,076	1,708	10,592	5,395	756	360	185	64
Lithuanian	2,164	503	6,000	1,543	164	78	35	16
Polish ¶	12,294	10,297	28,667	31,876	3,832	2,283	660	382
Russian §	5,053	2,513	9,368	6,871	1,645	582	423	297
Yugoslav	3,551	2,875	7,771	10,676	3,440	1,103	854	710
Other	3,604	3,308	6,405	7,353	9,933	2,406	1,946	1,167
Total	63,771	59,919	149,270	153,685	110,362	33,336	28,584	22,678

* In this table "net" means excess of arrivals over departures and "permanent," means residence of one year or longer. † Later figures are not available. ‡ Includes "Irish." ¶ Includes "Stateless Pole." § Includes "Stateless Russian" and "Ukrainian."

No. 6.—Births, Deaths and Marriages—New South Wales.

Year.	Live Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Mean Population.			Infantile Mortality. Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 Live Births.
		Total.	Under 1 year.		Live Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1941 ...	51,729	27,300*	2,264	29,983	18.47	9.75*	10.71	43.8
1942 ...	52,647	29,219*	2,116	34,533	18.60	10.32*	12.20	40.2
1943 ...	57,265	28,870*	2,072	26,302	20.04	10.10*	9.20	36.2
1944 ...	59,612	26,652*	1,829	26,426	20.65	9.23*	9.16	30.7
1945 ...	61,662	26,994*	1,889	25,283	21.14	9.25*	8.67	30.6
1946 ...	67,247	28,579*	2,032	31,684	22.83	9.70*	10.76	30.2
1947 ...	69,398	28,449*	2,069	30,172	23.25	9.53*	10.11	29.8
1948 ...	67,234	30,403	2,037	30,164	22.19	10.04	9.96	30.3
1949 ...	68,812	29,364	1,878	28,757	22.10	9.43	9.23	27.3
1950 ...	71,592	30,965	1,936†	30,036	22.20	9.60	9.31	27.0†
1951 ...	72,069	31,932	1,895	30,341	21.72	9.62	9.14	26.3
Jan.-Mar.								
1951 ...	18,070	6,828	448	7,822	21.97	8.30	9.51	24.8
1952‡ ...	18,780	7,261	472	7,923	22.29	8.62	9.40	25.1

* Excludes deaths of defence personnel from 1941 to June, 1947.

† Revised.

‡ Preliminary

No. 7.—Marriages, New South Wales, Quarterly.

Period.	Metropolis.			Remainder of State.			New South Wales.		
	1950.	1951.	1952.	1950.	1951.	1952.	1950.	1951.	1952.
March Quarter ...	4,628	4,479	4,671*	3,312	3,343	3,252*	7,940	7,822	7,923*
June Quarter ...	4,286	4,607		3,350	3,371		7,636	7,978	
September Quarter ...	3,745	3,839		2,768	2,728		6,513	6,567	
December Quarter ...	4,842	4,680		3,105	3,294		7,947	7,974	
Year ...	17,501	17,605		12,535	12,736		30,036	30,341	

* Preliminary.

No. 8.—Principal Causes of Death*, New South Wales, Quarterly.

International Code No.	Cause of Death.	January-June.		June Quarter.	
		1950.	1951.	1950.	1951.
001-019 ...	Tuberculosis (all forms) ...	330	307	151	143
020-138 ...	Other infective and parasitic diseases ...	155	244	70	99
140-205 ...	Malignant neoplasms ...	1,991	2,035	974	1,027
210-239 ...	Other neoplasms ...	78	88	40	50
260 ...	Diabetes mellitus ...	182	193	92	99
290-299 ...	Diseases of the blood and blood forming organs ...	77	85	35	43
330-334 ...	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system ...	1,774	1,894	961	999
340-398 ...	Other disorders of the nervous system and sense organs ...	246	271	117	137
410-416 ...	Chronic rheumatic heart disease ...	107	131	59	80
420-422 ...	Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease ...	3,515	3,819	1,982	2,230
440-443 ...	Hypertension with heart disease ...	352	393	196	212
400-402, 430-434, 444-468 ...	Other diseases of the circulatory system ...	1,058	929	590	495
490-493 ...	Pneumonia ...	384	408	214	226
470-483, 500-527 ...	Other diseases of the respiratory system ...	326	317	192	195
530-587 ...	Diseases of the digestive system ...	568	564	263	278
590-594 ...	Nephritis and nephrosis ...	317	251	172	132
600-637 ...	Other diseases of the genito-urinary system ...	163	172	89	90
640-689 ...	Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium. ...	40	41	21	20
750-759 ...	Congenital malformations ...	166	160	87	89
760-776 ...	Certain diseases of early infancy ...	609	533	307	266
E800-E936 ...	Accidents ...	813	943	410	488
E940-E999 ...	Other violence ...	172	194	80	89
	All other causes ...	720	749	380	406
	Total Deaths ...	14,143	14,721	7,482	7,893

* Based on the Sixth Revision (1948) of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death.

No. 9.—Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires as at 31st December, 1951.

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.
Metropolis—	Acres.		Hunter and Manning—		
City of Sydney	7,161	212,040	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Ashfield	2,048	42,950	Newcastle	24,238	136,480
Auburn	7,818	47,400	Cessnock	4,800	13,840
Bankstown	19,205	74,220	Dungog	2,664	2,180
Botany	4,391	31,140	Maitland	11,541	21,150
Burwood	1,791	34,670	Muswellbrook	2,016	4,810
Canterbury	8,251	115,170	Port Macquarie	3,402	3,400
Concord	2,674	31,380	Scone	1,069	2,580
Drummoyne	1,984	33,630	Singleton	715	4,360
Holroyd (Pitt and Merrylands Wards)	2,201	17,860	Taree	1,271	7,400
Hunter's Hill	1,416	12,440	Wingham	2,111	2,400
Hurstville	6,120	45,080	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Kogarah	4,807	45,250	Gloucester	1,069	4,740
Ku-ring-gai	20,235	47,750	Gosford	410	24,460
Lane Cove	2,566	22,070	Hastings	1,442	10,530
Leichhardt	2,478	69,130	Kearsley	791	31,150
Manly	3,451	36,120	Lake Macquarie	290	53,060
Marriekville	3,649	82,490	Lower Hunter	202	6,950
Mosman	2,752	26,910	Manning	1,568	14,690
North Sydney	2,584	61,230	Muswellbrook	1,310	3,830
Parramatta	11,074	69,830	Patrick Plains	1,708	5,740
Randwick	8,491	106,060	Port Stephens	391	7,200
Rockdale	7,012	82,060	Stroud	1,224	7,150
Ryde	9,921	50,860	Upper Hunter	1,553	5,140
Strathfield	3,464	25,970	Wallarobba	803	4,370
Waverley	2,222	76,170	Wyong	302	12,780
Willoughby	5,480	55,950			
Woollahra	2,682	53,250	Total, Hunter and Manning	13,147	390,390
Total, Metropolis	157,328	1,610,580			
Balance of Cumberland—			South Coast—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Camden (Part)*	44,829	1,210	Greater Wollongong	176,416	78,660
Campbelltown	77,043	8,430	Bega	2,526	3,560
Fairfield	23,806	40,690	Bowral	3,234	4,010
Holroyd (Guildford and Went- worth Wards)	7,426	16,270	Camden (Part)*	6,100	3,310
Liverpool	77,546	20,170	Gerrington	20,110	1,000
Penrith	96,975	16,180	Jamberoo	40,468	990
Windsor	36,250	9,900	Kiama	2,548	2,560
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Shellharbour	38,244	4,470
Baulkham Hills	147	14,780	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Blacktown	101	31,490	Eurobodalla	1,309	6,120
Hornsby	198	38,200	Imlay	1,372	5,220
Sutherland	143	50,150	Mittagong	577	5,820
Warringah	102	47,510	Mumbulla	964	4,380
Total, Balance of Cumberland	1,260	294,980	Shoalhaven	1,799	15,110
Total, Cumberland	1,506	1,905,560	Tallaganda	1,294	3,090
North Coast—			Wingecarribee	532	8,430
Municipalities—	Acres.		Wollondilly	988	10,230
Ballina	5,756	3,390	Total, South Coast	9,288	156,940
Casino	3,947	7,520			
Grafton	2,578	9,160	Northern Tableland—		
Grafton, South	1,379	4,280	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Kempsey	2,951	7,170	Amidale	2,111	8,320
Lismore	8,267	16,930	Glen Innes	17,030	5,730
Maclean	1,278	1,800	Inverell	10,370	7,130
Mullumbimby	1,103	1,740	Tenterfield	4,685	3,280
Ulmara	29,810	1,670	Walcha	18,454	1,610
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Bellingen	476	6,920	Apsley	2,446	2,070
Byron	215	9,410	Dumaresq	1,673	4,010
Copmanhurst	1,210	2,650	Guya	1,792	6,040
Dorrigo	745	14,490	Macintyre (Part) †	564	1,330
Gundurimba	180	4,120	Severn	2,283	5,015
Harwood	329	4,810	Tenterfield	2,714	4,590
Kyogle	1,342	12,160	Uralla	1,183	4,710
Macleay	1,273	9,170	Total, Northern Tableland	12,637	53,830
Nambucca	557	9,490			
Nymboida	1,898	2,320			
Orara	568	1,570			
Terania	340	7,280			
Tintenbar	179	4,920			
Tomki	438	3,730			
Tweed	503	21,240			
Woodburn	541	4,490			
Total, North Coast	10,883	172,430			

*Camden Municipality is divided between Balance of Cumberland and South Coast.

†Macintyre Shire is divided between Northern Tableland and North-Western Slope.

**No. 9.—Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires as at
31st December, 1951 (continued).**

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.
Central Tableland—			Central-Western Slope—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Bathurst	2,990	13,260	Dubbo	4,194	10,900
Blue Mountains	344,698	23,830	Forbes	10,099	6,530
Cowra	5,683	5,960	Narramine	890	2,020
Lithgow	5,095	16,360	Parkes	10,704	7,820
Mudgee	802	4,460	Peak Hill	19,283	1,320
Orange	5,152	17,820			
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Abercrombie	901	4,060	Boree	871	6,660
Blaxland	1,331	10,170	Gilgandra	1,640	4,660
Canobolas	636	5,900	Goobang	2,237	5,940
Colo	1,154	5,580	Gulgong (Part)*	727	2,350
Coolah	976	2,140	Jemalong	1,804	3,570
Crookwell	1,328	6,030	Molong	782	4,240
Cudgegong	1,348	4,460	Talbragar	1,304	3,490
Gulgong (Part)*	734	3,580	Timbregongie	2,051	3,430
Lyndhurst	624	6,560	Wellington (Part)†	582	2,230
Merriwa	1,356	2,640			
Oberon	1,129	3,550	Total, Central-Western Slope ...	12,068	65,160
Rylstone	1,478	4,720			
Turon	909	7,250	South-Western Slope—		
Wagoolah	1,043	6,770	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Wellington (Part)†	1,199	8,950	Albury	8,445	16,700
Total, Central Tableland ...	16,716	164,050	Cootamundra	3,010	5,910
			Grenfell	3,231	2,600
			Junee	5,523	4,380
			Murrumburrah	5,125	2,720
			Temora	5,303	4,570
			Wagga Wagga	21,509	18,520
			Young	3,475	5,010
			Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
			Bland	3,265	9,000
			Boorowa	1,004	3,540
Southern Tableland—			Burrangong	1,025	4,840
Municipalities—	Acres.		Demondrille	711	2,590
Bombala	1,309	1,270	Gundagai	945	4,950
Cooma	3,606	4,250	Holbrook	1,000	2,510
Goulburn	8,588	18,060	Hume	770	5,090
Queanbeyan	4,699	5,660	Illabo	781	2,200
Yass	7,377	3,500	Jindalee	583	2,340
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Kyeamba	1,035	4,490
Bibbenluke	1,521	2,410	Mitchell	818	2,880
Goodradigbee	1,308	3,480	Narraburra	1,079	3,330
Gunning	849	2,500	Tumbarumba	1,691	3,520
Monaro	1,879	2,350	Tumut	1,449	9,740
Mulwaree	1,946	5,990	Weddin	1,318	3,170
Snowy River	2,330	4,870			
Yarrowlumla	1,160	3,200	Total, South-Western Slope ...	17,561	124,610
Total, Southern Tableland ...	11,033	57,540			
			North-Central Plain—		
			Municipalities—	Acres.	
			Moree	8,157	5,590
			Narrabri	2,429	3,690
			Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
North-Western Slope—			Booloroo	3,204	3,190
Municipalities—	Acres.		Boomi	3,654	2,970
Barraba	752	1,570	Coonabarabran	2,963	7,150
Gunnedah	3,037	4,810	Namoi	5,074	8,300
Manilla	1,253	1,990			
Quirindi	1,720	2,850	Total, North-Central Plain...	14,912	30,950
Tamworth	5,644	13,700			
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Central Plain—		
Ashford	2,200	3,120	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Barraba	1,186	1,660	Condobolin	30,180	2,820
Bingara	1,088	3,020	Coonamble§	15,188	2,900
Cockburn	1,072	5,050	Nyngan	2,969	1,990
Liverpool Plains	1,999	4,430	Warren	14,800	1,860
Macintyre (Part)‡	561	2,880			
Mandowah	827	1,410	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Murrurundi	954	2,960	Bogan	4,608	1,480
Nundle	615	1,420	Lachlan	5,883	5,410
Peel	684	6,890	Marthaguy	4,170	2,200
Tamarang	1,157	2,490	Walgett	4,343	3,580
Yellaroi	2,069	4,010	Wingadee§	4,040	3,150
Total, North-Western Slope ...	14,431	64,260	Total, Central Plain ...	23,143	25,390

* Gulgong Shire is divided between Central Tableland and Central-Western Slope.

† Wellington Shire is divided between Central Tableland and Central-Western Slope.

‡ Macintyre Shire is divided between Northern Tableland and North-Western Slope.

§ From 1st May, 1952, Coonamble Municipality and Wingadee Shire were amalgamated to form Coonamble Shire.

No. 9.—Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires as at 31st December, 1951 (*continued*).

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population
Riverina—			Western Division—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Corowa	10,978	3,100	Balranald	29,200	1,320
Deniliquin	32,000	4,220	Bourke	1,540	2,160
Hay	31,450	3,130	Brewarrina	3,020	870
Moama	32,153	750	Broken Hill	16,736	32,310
Narrandera	4,668	4,680	Cobar	15,312	2,560
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Wentworth	69,956	3,400
Berrigan	791	5,400	Wilcannia	13,715	810
Carrathool	4,309	4,480		Sq. Miles.	
Conargo	1,443	1,030	Unincorporated Area	125,303	14,020
Coolamon	936	5,260	Total, Western Division	125,536	57,450
Coreen	829	2,670		Sq. Miles.	
Culcairn	610	4,940	Lord Howe Island	5	202
Jerilderie	1,315	1,610	Migratory ... ..	...	7,368
Leeton	310	10,100	Total, N.S.W.	309,433*	3,358,760
Lockhart	1,132	4,870		Sq. Miles.	
Murray	1,621	2,070	Summary—		
Murrumbidgee	1,311	660	Municipalities	2,831	2,406,830
Urana	1,297	2,550	Shires	181,260	930,340
Wade	250	12,840	Unincorporated Area in Western		
Wakool	2,938	3,630	Division	125,303	14,020
Waradgery	3,669	610	Lord Howe Island	5	202
Windouran	1,966	510	Migratory ... ..	...	7,368
Yanko	1,632	3,520	Total, N.S.W.	309,433*	3,358,760
Total, Riverina	26,533	82,630			

* Includes 34 square miles of harbours, rivers and quarantine area, which are not included within municipal or shire boundaries.

No. 10.—Population of Statistical Divisions*, 1911–1951.

Statistical Division.	Population recorded at Census of—				Estimated Population at 31st December.	
	1911 (April 3).	1921 (April 4).	1933 (June 30).	1947 (June 30).	1950.	1951.
Metropolis	667,149	971,866	1,235,267	1,484,004	1,584,830	1,610,580
Balance of Cumberland	46,603	80,893	124,148	206,706	273,650	294,980
North Coast	101,656	123,152	146,507	159,212	170,510	172,430
Hunter and Manning	183,810	242,872	302,012	343,394	381,990	390,390
South Coast	79,412	88,750	105,817	129,817	149,770	156,940
Northern Tableland	51,760	51,340	54,081	51,463	53,280	53,830
Central Tableland	119,143	129,995	141,243	143,988	160,650	164,950
Southern Tableland	44,201	46,160	49,956	49,908	53,910	57,540
North-Western Slope	55,543	51,510	63,060	59,129	62,640	64,260
Central-Western Slope	49,235	52,790	67,721	58,601	64,520	65,160
South-Western Slope	88,940	95,993	116,118	112,272	122,120	124,610
North-Central Plain	22,994	23,351	29,681	28,093	30,570	30,950
Central Plain	20,073	19,041	27,725	23,059	24,860	25,390
Riverina	48,885	63,492	84,317	75,048	80,810	82,630
Western Division	59,165	47,313	51,994	51,123	56,370	57,450
Lord Howe Island	105	111	161	179	187	202
Migratory	8,051	11,715	5,039	7,342	7,359	7,368
Total N.S.W.	1,646,734	2,100,371	2,600,847	2,984,838	3,278,026	3,358,760

* Based on the areas as constituted at 31st December, 1951. Figures for earlier years have been adjusted to conform as nearly as possible to these areas.

No. 11.—Population and Area of Regions as at 31st December, 1951.

Region.	Area. (Sq. miles).	Estimated Population.	Region.	Area. (Sq. miles).	Estimated Population.
Richmond-Tweed	3,768	96,930	Namoi	23,851	75,650
Clarence	5,838	59,160	Macquarie	24,320	60,900
Oxley	7,398	73,200	Lachlan	19,298	86,270
Newcastle	1,737	269,830	Murrumbidgee	16,632	109,730
Sydney	6,022	2,003,990	Upper Murray	6,228	41,080
Illawarra	2,233	102,790	Central Murray	13,892	22,960
Monaro-South Coast	9,387	34,430	Upper Darling	49,419	12,110
New England	18,555	66,860	Murray-Darling	32,666	9,020
Upper Hunter	6,887	32,060	Central Darling	43,451	36,320
Mitchell	9,895	106,390	Lord Howe Island	5	202
Southern Tablelands	7,917	51,510	Migratory ... ..	...	7,368
			Total N.S.W.	309,433*	3,358,760

* Includes 34 square miles of harbours, rivers and quarantine area.

No. 12.—Rainfall in New South Wales.

(i) Principal Sheep and Wheat Districts.

(Principal Wheat Districts are marked "A.")

Division.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal = 100).								
		1951.		1952.				1951.		1952.						
		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.			
Tablelands—			ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.									
Northern	...	{	E	...	1:26	1:94	1:24	5:29	4:66	2:83	38	46	23	112	92	101
			W	...	1:41	1:73	2:00	5:66	3:28	1:84	45	47	52	201	115	103
Central...	...	{	N	A	1:41	0:63	0:44	1:28	2:43	2:70	63	23	18	65	111	145
			S	A	1:07	1:07	1:44	1:24	4:03	5:95	41	33	40	41	134	209
Southern	1:70	1:43	1:16	1:13	4:63	5:37	90	61	46	62	216	323
Western Slopes—																
North	{	N	A	0:79	1:26	0:75	5:25	2:73	2:37	32	41	23	202	110	148
			S	A	0:94	0:84	1:49	3:99	3:08	1:90	37	27	53	178	134	112
Central...	...	{	N	A	1:20	1:73	0:67	2:21	3:93	2:38	59	62	26	106	184	128
			S	A	1:96	1:25	0:38	0:62	2:90	3:78	55	58	18	41	157	218
South	{	N	A	1:43	0:95	0:73	0:27	3:37	4:90	89	50	40	21	202	302
			S	...	1:85	1:04	0:48	0:21	2:82	5:30	93	49	25	14	132	259
Plains—																
North	{	E	A	0:76	0:80	0:58	3:30	2:15	1:39	36	29	22	149	100	96
			W	...	0:52	0:59	0:36	3:35	2:14	1:71	30	24	15	158	115	141
Central...	...	{	N	A	0:86	0:80	0:12	0:61	2:06	3:20	36	42	8	98	179	108
			S	A	0:62	0:57	0:15	1:52	2:84	1:67	48	35	7	53	207	219
Riverina	{	E	A	0:59	0:22	0:09	0:18	1:77	3:22	48	17	8	17	140	260
			W	A	0:36	0:15	0:14	0:21	2:08	3:06	35	15	14	25	210	348
Western Division—																
Eastern	...	{	N	...	0:67	0:48	0:19	1:57	2:51	1:60	56	32	12	107	200	174
			S	...	0:34	0:09	0:22	0:36	2:57	2:38	35	8	20	38	250	270
Western	...	{	N	...	0:54	0:23	0:18	0:21	1:45	1:13	82	25	21	28	177	222
			S	...	0:27	0:01	0:82	0:10	0:73	1:06	35	1	117	13	103	161

(ii) Principal Dairying Districts.

Division of Coast.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal = 100).						
		1951.		1952.				1951.		1952.				
		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	
North	...	N	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	16	54	22	119	101	92	
		S	0·60	2·56	1·44	7·17	7·45							4·90
Hunter and Manning	...	N	1·16	1·32	1·53	9·77	6·31	3·95	29	27	25	165	88	62
		S	0·53	1·07	1·72	8·96	5·03	4·63						
South	...	N	0·44	1·32	1·00	2·53	2·85	3·93	17	37	30	83	81	119
		S	0·53	1·16	2·50	1·57	5·34	12·36						
		S	1·61	1·04	0·95	1·55	6·79	10·33	69	35	26	49	190	354

NOTE.—Tables 12 and 13 are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned. Normal Rainfall is based on a period ended 1929.

No. 13.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall (New South Wales).

Normal Rainfall for each month = 100.

Month.	Sheep Districts.					Wheat Districts.				Dairying Districts. (Coastal Only).			
	N.	C.	S.	W.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.
1951.													
April	39	51	94	29	59	46	53	91	75	32	31	16	30
May	73	107	129	84	102	68	95	141	120	64	46	87	62
June	142	138	127	154	137	140	140	112	123	223	319	382	228
July	34	83	112	40	74	56	97	114	102	9	29	66	21
August	116	142	143	90	129	125	147	124	130	27	62	191	54
September ...	74	85	146	111	105	79	90	143	121	20	45	309	63
October	37	51	116	53	69	29	61	106	84	51	52	105	58
November ...	36	53	70	50	53	36	51	62	56	19	16	50	22
December ...	34	40	38	20	36	29	37	30	32	47	29	34	41
1952.													
January	33	18	27	35	27	41	22	23	25	23	34	40	28
February	172	67	28	67	84	174	56	20	49	131	147	50	124
March	114	161	185	188	158	122	159	180	167	98	90	166	105
April	118	169	300	195	200	113	192	296	246	85	100	332	120

N.—Northern; C.—Central; S.—Southern; W.—Western; T.—Total, all Districts.

No. 14.—Area under Crop in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat (grain only).	Maize (grain only).	Oats (grain only).	Rice.	Sugar-cane cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Total Area of All Crops
				acres.				
1941	4,453,963	142,147	236,910	24,547	10,192	715,625	17,836	6,374,354
1942	3,968,758	117,262	303,860	23,633	8,491	714,142	17,685	5,920,561
1943	3,032,946	103,591	431,299	34,232	9,732	736,157	24,488	5,297,313
1944	2,693,302	103,237	374,205	40,690	8,240	534,470	30,067	4,797,385
1945	2,844,804	94,107	544,364	24,596	6,771	585,829	34,796	5,044,792
1946	3,773,901	92,416	617,070	28,372	5,943	750,714	22,865	6,511,493
1947	4,474,894	110,038	557,987	31,995	7,563	542,470	21,309	7,168,068
1948	5,043,017	86,979	609,207	26,208	7,113	618,509	21,911	7,711,369
1949	4,038,447	77,820	378,257	32,689	8,386	366,668	18,101	5,670,364
1950	4,011,744	72,872	374,729	37,540	8,517	328,734	23,369	4,760,740
1951	3,328,490	52,674	332,158	36,887	8,207	223,279	18,374	

No. 15.—Production of Crops in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Total Value of All Crops to Producers.
		thousand bushels.				thousand tons.		£ thous.
1941	23,933	4,044	1,995	2,240	343	617	50	14,279
1942	48,500	3,142	4,118	2,192	359	715	39	20,308
1943	51,693	2,815	7,338	3,084	338	986	65	29,144
1944	47,500	2,769	7,050	4,015	290	736	66	32,750
1945	17,134	2,437	1,757	1,693	200	371	81	21,995
1946	62,520	2,561	9,997	2,735	166	980	62	44,719
1947	15,682	2,507	2,046	2,978	310	376	61	26,150
1948	95,227	2,357	13,674	2,676	267	966	66	87,764
1949	64,704	2,476	5,779	2,739	274	486	61	53,887
1950	81,939	2,408	7,016	3,783	331	482	69	68,491*
1951	43,273	1,512	3,994	4,117	360	293	43	45,565*

* Subject to revision.

No. 16.—Average Yield and Value per acre of Crops in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Value per Acre of All Crops.
		bushels.				tons.		£ s. d.
1941	5'4	28'4	8'4	91	33'6	0'86	2'83	2 4 10
1942	12'2	26'8	13'6	93	42'3	1'00	2'18	3 8 7
1943	17'0	27'2	17'0	90	34'7	1'34	2'64	5 10 0
1944	17'6	26'8	18'8	99	35'2	1'38	2'18	6 16 6
1945	6'0	25'9	3'2	69	29'5	0'63	2'32	4 7 2
1946	16'6	27'7	16'2	96	27'9	1'31	2'70	7 6 11
1947	3'5	22'8	3'7	93	40'9	0'69	2'88	4 0 4
1948	18'9	27'1	22'4	102	37'6	1'56	2'99	12 4 10
1949	16'0	31'8	15'3	84	32'7	1'33	3'38	9 8 8
1950	20'4	33'0	18'7	101	38'8	1'46	2'97	12 1 7*
1951	13'0	28'7	12'0	112	43'8	1'31	2'35	9 11 5*

* Subject to revision.

No. 17.—Wheat Production in N.S.W.

Season.	Area under Wheat.				Yield of Wheat and Wheat Hay.			
	For Grain.	For Hay.	Fed Off.	Total.	Wheat.		Wheat Hay.	
					Total.	per Acre.	Total.	per Acre.
				acres.				
1943-44	2,693,302	198,066	83,700	2,975,068	47,500,000	17'6	249,905	1'26
1944-45	2,844,804	279,120	59,334	3,174,258	17,133,870	6'0	182,760	0'65
1945-46	3,773,901	389,918	49,612	4,213,431	62,520,000	16'6	499,432	1'28
1946-47	4,474,894	263,557	34,527	4,772,978	15,682,230	3'5	145,088	0'55
1947-48	5,043,017	278,361	33,791	5,355,169	95,226,795	18'9	414,329	1'49
1948-49	4,038,447	160,693	43,820	4,242,969	64,703,574	16'0	187,332	1'17
1949-50	4,011,744	122,295	39,818	4,173,857	81,939,000	20'4	162,935	1'33
1950-51	3,328,490	78,805	34,669	3,441,964	43,272,900	13'0	91,662	1'16
1951-52*	2,748,000	110,000	83,000	2,941,000	41,400,000	15'1	135,000	1'23

* Preliminary. Subject to revision.

No. 18.—Live Stock in N.S.W.

At 31st March.	Horses.	Cattie. *			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Cows in Registered Dairies.	All Other.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1941	531,776	1,054,770	1,714,291	2,769,061	55,568,000	507,738
1942	525,697	1,055,172	1,823,278	2,878,450	56,737,000	454,102
1943	483,277	1,054,511	1,976,035	3,030,546	56,043,000	486,960
1944	465,672	1,043,273	2,100,105	3,143,378	56,837,000	561,294
1945	436,443	1,035,991	2,108,710	3,144,701	46,662,000	523,917
1946	403,645	1,021,087	2,095,747	3,116,834	44,076,000	432,612
1947	379,774	967,909	2,015,184	2,983,093	43,105,000	358,417
1948	376,043	965,201	2,164,539	3,129,740	46,065,000	365,171
1949	357,764	970,585	2,282,167	3,252,752	50,404,000	375,212
1950	342,479	981,371	2,459,090	3,440,461	53,298,000	333,198
1951	328,428	963,634	2,739,214	3,702,848	54,111,000	316,833

* Further details are shown in the following table.

No. 19.—Cattle in Registered Dairies and Beef Cattle in N.S.W.

Classification.	At 31st March.					
	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.
In Registered Dairies—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Cows in milk	594,809	592,385	592,320	594,860	587,735	576,567
Cows, dry	192,083	170,035	173,174	175,841	182,785	183,011
Heifers (1 year and over) ...	234,195	205,489	199,707	199,884	210,851	204,056
Total cows (registered dairies) ...	1,021,087	967,909	965,201	970,585	981,371	963,634
Calves (under 1 year)	151,946	148,037	154,167	163,018	162,067	161,991
Bulls	25,281	24,404	23,846	24,024	24,097	23,827
Total cattle (reg'd. dairies)	1,198,314	1,140,350	1,143,214	1,157,627	1,167,535	1,149,452
Other milking cows (dry and in milk)	118,335	130,931	144,820	152,595	158,202	144,456
Beef Cattle—						
Cows and heifers (1 year and over)	824,581	782,755	843,350	894,303	987,139	1,133,017
Calves (under 1 year)	370,752	409,677	422,182	487,478	511,332	589,819
Bulls	34,284	33,213	34,001	36,862	39,923	42,383
Bullocks, steers, etc.	570,568	486,167	542,173	523,887	576,330	643,721
Total, beef cattle	1,800,185	1,711,812	1,841,706	1,942,530	2,114,724	2,408,940
Total, all cattle	3,116,834	2,983,093	3,129,740	3,252,752	3,440,461	3,702,848

No. 20.—Sheep—Lambing, Slaughtering, Exports and Deaths in N.S.W.

Season.	Lambs Marked.	Sheep and Lambs Slaughtered.	Net Movement of Sheep to (—) and from (+) Other States.	Approximate Number of Deaths on Holdings (Balance).	Sheep at 31st March
			thousands.		
1940-41	14,014	8,167	(—) 664	3,987	55,568
1941-42	14,616	8,115	(—) 1,432	3,900	56,737
1942-43	13,627	9,299	(—) 772	4,250	56,043
1943-44	15,068	9,476	(—) 798	4,000	56,837
1944-45	11,069	8,865	(—) 1,009	11,370	46,662
1945-46	9,894	7,601	(+) 393	5,272	44,076
1946-47	11,240	7,137	(—) 628	4,446	43,105
1947-48	12,861	6,189	(—) 302	3,410	46,065
1948-49	13,770	6,231	(+) 42	3,242	50,404
1949-50	13,280	6,676	(—) 828	2,882	53,298
1950-51	12,507	5,718	(—) 387	5,589	54,111

No. 21.—Sheep and Lambs shorn and Quantity of Wool produced in N.S.W.

Season.	Sheep and Lambs Shorn.	Average Clip (Greasy).*	Weight of Wool Produced (as in the grease).				
			Shorn and Crutched.	Dead.	Fell-mongered.	Exported on Skins.	Total Production.
	thousands.	lb.			thousand lb.		
1940-41 ...	57,704	8.4	484,012	1,327	46,019	5,550	536,908
1941-42 ...	58,537	8.5	497,446	1,126	41,964	6,464	547,000
1942-43 ...	57,654	7.8	448,968	1,278	42,500	4,792	497,538
1943-44 ...	57,318	8.6	490,331	883	39,816	6,380	537,410
1944-45 ...	52,268	7.6	398,598	1,164	38,261	10,660	448,683
1945-46 ...	45,402	8.5	386,724	1,204	31,647	11,974	431,549
1946-47 ...	43,119	8.9	383,692	1,246	27,076	20,607	432,621
1947-48 ...	43,691	8.7	382,142	516	19,947	19,655	422,260
1948-49 ...	48,107	8.8	422,591	442	21,236	18,939	463,208
1949-50 ...	53,600	8.8	469,987	472	21,823	22,761	515,043
1950-51 ...	52,877	8.6	455,910	994	19,551	15,675	492,130

* Sheep and lambs; including crutchings.

No. 22.—Production of Milk, Butter, Cheese and Bacon in N.S.W.—Annually.

Year ended 30th June.	Total Milk (all purposes).	Butter.*			Cheese.			Bacon and Ham.†		
		Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.
	mill. gal.	thousand lb.			thousand lb.			thousand lb.		
1941 ...	308.0	103,782	4,781	108,563	6,412	58	6,470	25,522	492	26,014
1942 ...	280.0	85,116	4,107	89,223	5,225	37	5,262	28,319	504	28,823
1943 ...	303.5	93,775	4,500	98,275	5,146	119	5,265	29,430	485	29,915
1944 ...	297.2	87,857	4,500	92,357	5,374	151	5,525	29,852	485	30,337
1945 ...	262.9	71,722	4,500	76,222	4,400	92	4,492	43,846	485	44,331
1946 ...	278.9	74,280	4,000	78,280	4,858	110	4,968	37,494	144	37,638
1947 ...	254.1	60,385	4,000	64,385	4,545	4	4,549	33,119	149	33,268
1948 ...	295.4	76,066	4,000	80,066	5,909	10	5,919	29,667	13	29,804
1949 ...	291.9	74,519	4,273	78,792	5,577	4	5,581	26,941	147	27,088
1950 ...	311.6	82,469	4,537	87,006	6,333	1	6,334	25,630	139	25,769
1951 ...	298.2‡	76,873	4,059	80,932	6,630	1	6,631	25,151	131	25,282

* Including butter made from cream received from other States.
imported interstate.† Exclusive of bacon made from green bacon
‡ Revised.

No. 23.—Butter and Cheese Produced in Factories in N.S.W.—Quarterly.

Year.	Butter.					Cheese.				
	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Year (ended June).	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Year (ended June).
1938-39 ...	16,239	34,854	32,670	30,078	113,841	883	2,474	1,976	1,860	7,193
1946-47 ...	8,653	15,888	21,821	14,023	60,385	672	1,447	1,525	901	4,545
1947-48 ...	9,862	23,950	28,272	13,982	76,066	762	2,009	2,289	849	5,909
1948-49 ...	10,759	23,100	25,898	14,762	74,519	773	1,938	1,821	1,045	5,577
1949-50 ...	12,094	29,232	26,617	14,526	82,469	868	2,560	1,956	949	6,333
1950-51 ...	11,325	28,612	26,488	10,448	76,873	903	2,879	2,293	555	6,630
1951-52 ...	8,229	15,526	14,037			578	1,917	969		

No. 24.—Prices of Primary Products, New South Wales.

Period.	Wool, Greasy.		Wheat.			Butter.		
	Average Price at N.S.W. Auctions. (a)	Average Price that would be realised if whole N.S.W. clip was sold at price level of current month.	Net return to Grower. (c)	Export Price. (d)	Home Price for Human Consumption. (e)	Net return to Farmer. (f)	Export Price. (g)	Wholesale Price (Sydney). (h)
	s. d. per lb.		s. d. per bushel.			s. d. per lb.		
1938-39	0 10 3	...	2 2 8	2 5 1	2 5 9	1 1 0	1 1 2	1 5
1940-41	1 1 2 (b)	...	3 7	4 0 8	3 11 3	1 1 6	1 2 7	1 5
1941-42	1 1 3 (b)	...	3 3 6	4 2	3 11 3	1 1 6	1 2 7	1 5 3
1942-43	1 3 3 (b)	...	3 11 7	4 2 6	3 11 3	1 4	1 3 3	1 5 9
1943-44	1 3 5 (b)	...	4 9 6	4 8	3 11 3	1 6 6	1 3 3	1 5 9
1944-45	1 3 3 (b)	...	5 2 8	(j)	3 11 3	1 7 3	1 3 3	1 5 9
1945-46	1 3 3 (b)	...	6 11 6	(j)	3 11 3	1 8 3	1 7 8	1 5 9
1946-47	1 11 6	...	10 3 8	14 1	3 11 3	1 8 3	1 11 2	1 5 9
1947-48	3 1 9	...	13 7 2	19 4 7	6 0 2	1 11 9	2 3 3	1 7 5
1948-49	3 10 8	...	10 7 6	15 8 2	6 8	2 1 9	2 7 3	1 11 1
1949-50	5 1 8	...	12 4 (m)	15 5 2	6 8	2 4 5	2 9 6	1 11 1
1950-51	12 1 3	...	11 9 (m)	16 1	18 8 8	2 8 2	3 0 4	1 11 1
1951-52	6 4 5 (p)	...	(j)	(j)	(j)	3 6 (p)	3 3 1	2 7 2
1951—Jan.	...	13 10	...	16 1	18 6	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
Feb.	...	14 9 5	...	16 1	18 9 6	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
Mar.	...	15 10 5	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
Apr.	...	12 1	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
May	...	10 9	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
June	...	7 11	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
July	...	7 11 (n)	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 0 4	1 11 1
Aug.	...	6 1 (p)	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 3 1	1 11 1
Sept.	...	5 6 (p)	...	16 1	19 0	...	3 3 1	1 11 8
Oct.	...	7 7 (p)	...	16 1	19 9 3	...	3 3 1	2 4 7
Nov.	...	6 8 (p)	...	16 1	20 0	...	3 3 1	2 7 1
Dec.	...	6 5 (p)	...	16 6	21 0	...	3 3 1	2 9 5
1952—Jan.	...	6 3 (b)	...	16 6	21 1 5	...	3 3 1	2 9 5
Feb.	...	5 9 (p)	...	16 6	21 6	...	3 3 1	2 9 5
Mar.	...	5 1 (p)	...	16 6	21 6	...	3 3 1	2 9 5
Apr.	...	5 3 (p)	...	16 6	21 6	...	3 3 1	2 9 5
May	...	6 0 (p)	...	16 6	21 6	...	3 3 1	2 9 5

(a) Excluding Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

Weighted average, year ended June.

(b) Based on price paid by agreement by United Kingdom Government; excludes payments subsequently distributed from profits on re-sale of contract wool.

(c) Average return f.o.r. country siding, allowing for cost of bags and including governmental assistance to wheatgrowers. Pool season, generally year ended October.

(d) Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended July. Bases are as follows:—1938-39—Average of shippers' limits for bulk and bagged lots, f.o.r., Sydney.

1940-41 to 1948-49—Basic export selling price of Australian Wheat Board. Average for bulk and bagged wheat, f.o.r., Sydney.

1949-50 to date—Selling prices of Australian Wheat Board for f.a.q. bulk wheat, f.o.b., Sydney (see notes (k) and (l)).

(e) Wholesale price for f.a.q. bulk wheat, f.o.r. Sydney. Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended November.

(f) Weighted average price per pound of commercial butter paid for cream supplied to N.S.W. factories, inclusive of Government subsidy. Year ended June.

(g) United Kingdom contract price for choicest butter, f.o.b. Australia, except 1938-39, which is Sydney parity of average top price, London, weighted by monthly N.S.W. exports. Year ended June.

(h) Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended June.

(i) Not available.

(j) Wheat sold under the International Wheat Agreement.

(k) Wheat sold in excess of the International Wheat Agreement quota.

(m) Approximate return, including repayment of tax from Wheat Stabilisation Fund.

(n) Nominal.

(p) Preliminary.

No. 25.—Mineral Production in New South Wales, 1950.

(Source: N.S.W. Department of Mines.)

Mineral.	Quantity.	Value.	Mineral.	Quantity.	Value.
Antimony Ore ... ton	187	£ 11,854	Iron Oxide ... ton	11,924	£ 26,940
Antimony-Gold ore ... "	85	6,118	Lead Concentrates ... "	235,655	15,840,700
Asbestos ... "	374	33,763	Limestone† ... "	1,024,802	360,658
Bauxite ... "	1,155	1,275	Magnetite ... "	32,386	68,802
Clays ... "	1,834,172	540,865	Manganese Ore ... "	25,855	16,423
Coal ... "	12,798,433	22,121,326	Pyrite Concentrates ... "	10,583	37,011
Construction Materials* ... "	...	2,051,237	Rutile Concentrates ... "	5,667	209,822
Copper Ore and Concentrates ... "	9,484	338,623	Shale, Oil-bearing ... "	98,487	185,084
Copper Precipitates ... "	232	27,179	Silver-lead Ore ... "	5,669	88,551
Diatomite ... "	4,641	12,736	Tin Concentrates ... "	23,302	319,531
Dolomite ... "	44,736	25,570	Tungsten Concentrates ... lb.	5,669	5,844
Felspar ... "	8,104	20,474	Zinc Concentrates ... ton	276,311	6,959,617
Gold Ore and Concentrates ... "	365	9,726	Zircon Concentrates ... "	15,030	127,822
Gold Matte and Slag ... "	13	4,447	Other Minerals ... "	...	72,786
Gold—Other forms ... oz.	41,431	551,196			
Gypsum ... ton	102,910	73,486	Total ...	...	50,149,466

* Includes building materials, road materials and gravels.

† Includes sea shells.

No. 26.—Contents of Metallic Minerals Produced, N.S.W., 1951.

(Source : N.S.W. Department of Mines.)

Metal, etc.	Unit of Quantity.	Contents of Metallic Minerals Produced.			Metal, etc.	Unit of Quantity.	Contents of Metallic Minerals Produced.		
		Destined for Export.	Available for Recovery in Australia.	Total.			Destined for Export.	Available for Recovery in Australia.	Total.
Antimony ...	ton	3	634	637	Silver ...	oz. fine	284,104	6,237,262	6,521,366
Cadmium ...	"	233	329	562	Sulphur ...	ton	44,621	86,454	131,075
Cobalt ...	"	18	24	42	Tin ...	"	...	410	410
Copper ...	"	1,698	2,063	3,761	Tungsten ...	lb.	46,107	...	46,107
Gold ...	oz. fine	2,344	46,805	49,149	Zinc ...	WO ₃	68,610	74,288	142,898
Lead ...	ton	9,843	158,250	168,093					

No. 27.—Coal Production in N.S.W.

(Source : Joint Coal Board.)

Period.	Northern District.			Southern District.			Western District.			Total, N.S.W.		
	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Total.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Total.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Total.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Total.
thousand tons.												
Year—												
1942 ...	8,302	...	8,302	2,261	...	2,261	1,587	56	1,643	12,150	56	12,206
1943 ...	7,824	...	7,824	2,150	...	2,150	1,439	60	1,499	11,413	60	11,473
1944 ...	7,324	11	7,335	2,006	...	2,006	1,533	169	1,702	10,863	180	11,043
1945 ...	6,441	334	6,775	1,775	...	1,775	1,437	189	1,626	9,953	523	10,476
1946 ...	7,177	513	7,690	1,738	...	1,738	1,515	243	1,758	10,430	756	11,186
1947 ...	7,325	554	7,879	1,916	...	1,916	1,483	405	1,888	10,724	959	11,683
1948 ...	7,146	635	7,781	1,922	...	1,922	1,398	620	2,018	10,466	1,255	11,721
1949 ...	6,191	629	6,820	1,908	...	1,908	1,289	719	2,008	9,388	1,348	10,736
1950 ...	7,395	932	8,327	2,395	8	2,403	1,407	661	2,068	11,197	1,601	12,798
1951 ...	7,314	1,244	8,558	2,505	3	2,508	1,405	1,042	2,447	11,224	2,289	13,513
1950—Mar. Qr.	1,697	201	1,898	479	...	479	330	141	471	2,506	342	2,848
June Qr.	1,825	200	2,025	581	...	581	359	168	527	2,765	368	3,133
Sept. Qr.	1,916	260	2,176	678	2	680	379	187	566	2,973	449	3,422
Dec. Qr.	1,957	271	2,228	657	6	663	339	165	504	2,953	442	3,395
1951—Mar. Qr.	1,319	223	1,542	475	3	478	263	146	409	2,057	372	2,429
June Qr.	1,897	293	2,190	639	...	639	353	255	608	2,889	548	3,437
Sept. Qr.	2,106	347	2,453	719	...	719	402	246	648	3,227	593	3,820
Dec. Qr.	1,992	381	2,373	672	...	672	387	395	782	3,051	776	3,827
1952—Mar. Qr.	1,817	305	2,122	610	...	610	342	356	698	2,769	661	3,430

No. 28.—Factories in N.S.W.—Employment and Earnings.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments.	Average Number Employed.*			Salaries and Wages Paid.†		
		Males.	Females.	Persons.	To Males.	To Females.	Total.
1939 ...	9,464	167,172	61,609	228,781	£thous. 38,272	£thous. 6,334	£thous. 44,606
1940 ...	9,458	172,259	64,715	236,974	40,808	6,885	47,693
1941 ...	9,919	194,104	71,557	265,751	49,539	8,220	57,759
1942 ...	10,166	216,856	81,389	298,245	64,850	10,908	75,758
1943 ...	10,110	223,669	91,865	315,534	74,554	14,346	88,900
1944 ...	10,755	226,824	96,208	323,032	77,087	16,431	93,518
1945 ...	11,359	223,770	90,908	314,678	73,935	15,308	89,243
1946 ...	12,287	227,454	83,416	310,870	73,380	14,267	87,647
1947 ...	13,961	255,733	87,386	343,119	87,123	16,465	103,588
1948 ...	15,194	272,600	90,765	363,365	106,028	19,318	125,346
1949 ...	16,087	282,312	96,068	378,380	123,263	23,273	146,536
1950 ...	16,346	284,055	98,330	382,385	135,875	26,272	162,147
1951 ...	17,129	301,307	105,658	406,965	176,091	35,308	211,399

* Average during whole year, including working proprietors. † Excludes drawings by working proprietors.

No. 29.—Factories in N.S.W.—Production, Plant and Equipment.

Year ended 30th June.	Horse-power of Engines Installed.	Value of Premises and Equipment.			Value of Materials Used.	Value of Fuel Used.	Value of Output.	Value of Production.*
		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Equipment.	Total.				
	H.P.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.
1939 ...	1,791,814	57,354	62,693	120,047	120,502	7,651	218,419	90,266
1940 ...	1,929,824	58,939	64,802	123,741	134,454	8,135	239,198	96,609
1941 ...	2,052,821	61,887	68,533	130,420	161,253	9,620	285,917	115,044
1942 ...	2,104,937	65,015	70,612	135,627	189,469	11,229	339,488	138,790
1943 ...	2,213,490	72,623	73,122	145,745	207,599	12,308	373,489	153,582
1944 ...	2,267,112	78,978	73,804	152,782	223,604	12,808	399,138	162,726
1945 ...	2,301,635	81,059	73,039	154,098	215,219	12,565	387,659	159,875
1946 ...	2,349,111	80,308	72,561	152,869	201,706	12,207	367,092	153,179
1947 ...	2,468,539	81,895	75,234	157,129	245,436	13,965	445,947	186,546
1948 ...	2,538,657	91,860	86,714	178,574	292,557	17,314	528,482	218,611
1949 ...	2,648,640	101,241	99,812	201,053	336,914	21,611	609,724	251,199
1950 ...	2,809,163	110,578	113,864	224,442	384,467	25,535	693,203	283,201
1951 ...	3,057,245	130,468	136,492	266,960	522,362	35,381	923,911	366,168

* The value added to raw materials by the process of manufacture; calculated by deducting from the value of output at the factory the value of the raw materials, containers, packing, power, fuel, and light used, tools replaced, and materials used in repairs to plant (but not depreciation charges).

No. 30.—Factories—Employment and Production by Classes of Industry—N.S.W.

Class of Industry.	Persons Employed.*			Net Value of Production.†		
	Year ended 30th June.			Year ended 30th June.		
	1949.	1950.	1951.	1949.	1950.	1951.
	£ thousand.					
Treatment of Non-metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products ...	6,478	6,763	7,600	4,690	5,627	7,349
Bricks, Pottery and Glass, etc. ...	10,434	10,504	11,106	6,075	6,989	9,045
Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paint, Oil and Grease ...	16,004	16,316	17,409	17,605	22,191	28,698
Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements and Conveyances ...	156,844	157,987	172,256	101,617	113,059	152,038
Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate ...	2,190	2,212	2,138	1,179	1,351	1,616
Textiles and Textile Goods (not dress) ...	22,816	23,428	25,299	11,832	14,956	19,921
Skins and Leather (not clothing or footwear) ...	6,464	6,418	6,252	4,156	4,788	5,538
Clothing ...	49,202	48,063	49,947	21,732	23,260	29,385
Food, Drink and Tobacco ...	38,899	39,979	40,342	32,722	34,573	41,292
Woodworking and Basketware ...	18,452	18,678	19,705	11,101	12,803	16,332
Furniture, Bedding, etc. ...	7,770	8,004	8,574	4,418	5,219	6,678
Paper, Stationery, Printing, Bookbinding, etc. ...	22,359	23,081	24,332	15,812	19,345	24,705
Rubber ...	5,688	5,915	6,431	3,198	3,723	4,859
Musical Instruments ...	948	1,155	1,320	468	561	1,072
Miscellaneous ...	8,612	8,547	8,790	5,212	5,730	7,413
Heat, Light and Power ...	5,220	5,335	5,464	8,382	9,026	10,227
Total ...	378,380	382,385	406,965	251,199	283,201	366,168

* Average during whole year, including working proprietors.

† See note * Table 29.

NOTE.—Particulars of current monthly employment in factories by classes of industry (shown in Table 27 of the "Statistical Bulletin" for September Quarter, 1951) have been discontinued for the present.

No. 31.—Government and Private Factories in New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Government Factories.*			Private Factories.		
	Persons Employed. †	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Net Value of Production. ‡	Persons Employed. †	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Net Value of Production. ‡
	No.	£ thousand.	£ thousand.	No.	£ thousand.	£ thousand.
1939	16,206	4,098	5,618	215,594	40,508	84,648
1941	21,230	5,999	8,118	246,650	51,761	106,926
1942	28,411	9,244	12,084	273,709	66,513	126,706
1943	38,251	13,288	16,717	280,066	75,612	136,865
1944	40,665	14,034	17,266	285,491	79,484	145,460
1945	33,989	11,866	14,873	283,198	77,377	145,002
1946	29,162	9,494	12,500	286,612	78,153	140,679
1947	28,025	9,408	12,232	319,559	94,180	174,314
1948	29,930	12,152	15,760	336,920	113,194	202,851
1949	30,944	13,633	17,716	351,076	132,903	233,483
1950	31,403	15,074	19,236	357,112	147,073	263,965
1951	31,693	18,630	23,131	378,863	192,769	343,037

* Factories and workshops owned and operated by State and Commonwealth Governments (including railway workshops, printing offices, munition factories, etc., but excluding annexes operated by private companies on behalf of the Government). † Average weekly during period of operation including working proprietors. ‡ See note * Table 29.

No. 32.—Factories—Number of Employees* by Ages, N.S.W.

Mid-June.	Under 16 years.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.	21 years and over.	Total.
MALES.								
1939	5,759	...	...	31,923	...	...	122,041	159,723
1946	2,451	5,110	6,233	7,273	5,892	5,581	203,801	236,341
1947	2,186	5,299	6,244	6,903	6,524	5,997	218,916	252,129
1948	2,125	4,702	6,037	6,555	6,493	6,392	232,867	265,171
1949	2,115	4,472	5,412	6,316	6,204	6,436	239,643	270,598
1950	2,088	4,211	5,156	5,715	5,938	6,263	252,500	281,871
1951†	2,184	4,403	5,103	5,670	5,408	5,722	264,411	292,901
FEMALES.								
1939	7,084	...	...	24,289	...	...	28,529	59,902
1946	2,265	4,032	4,667	5,091	4,747	4,816	56,701	82,319
1947	2,094	4,097	4,807	5,205	4,803	4,501	61,008	86,515
1948	1,831	3,696	4,729	5,292	5,012	4,599	65,074	90,233
1949	1,736	3,432	4,320	5,354	5,070	4,769	69,649	94,330
1950	1,584	3,143	3,892	4,675	4,754	4,607	77,175	99,830
1951†	1,767	3,377	3,743	4,474	4,417	4,362	84,014	106,154
PERSONS.								
1939	12,843	...	...	56,212	...	...	150,570	219,625
1946	4,716	9,142	10,900	12,364	10,639	10,397	260,502	318,660
1947	4,280	9,396	11,051	12,168	11,327	10,498	279,924	338,644
1948	3,956	8,398	10,766	11,847	11,505	10,991	297,941	355,404
1949	3,851	7,904	9,732	11,670	11,274	11,205	309,292	364,928
1950	3,672	7,354	9,048	10,390	10,692	10,870	329,675	381,701
1951†	3,951	7,780	8,846	10,144	9,825	10,084	348,425	399,055

* Excludes working proprietors. † End of June.

No. 33.—Factories in Divisions of N.S.W.—Establishments and Employment.

Division.	Number of Establishments.				Persons Employed.*			
	1938-39.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1938-39.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
Cumberland—								
Metropolis	5,974	10,242	10,397	10,854	183,607	287,736	292,310	306,172
Balance	149	478	505	540	3,141	9,194	10,164	11,337
North Coast	443	738	743	825	4,179	7,440	7,551	8,270
Hunter and Manning—								
Newcastle	701	558	550	561	19,162	25,538	24,416	26,392
Balance	727	779	779	847	10,889	11,690	12,315	12,593
South Coast—								
Wollongong—Port Kembla	355	238	231	230	7,400	10,279	10,491	11,853
Balance	157	422	410	434	865	3,595	3,529	3,980
Northern Tableland	321	223	221	232	3,712	1,478	1,570	1,496
Central Tableland	147	515	514†	543	1,302	8,992	9,289†	9,826
Southern Tableland	147	219	234	233	1,013	2,416	2,478	2,636
North-western Slope	156	210	214	231	1,066	1,674	1,674	1,862
Central-western Slope	178	264	280	303	946	1,780	1,961	2,029
South-western Slope	348	518	528†	544	2,528	5,225	5,445†	5,775
North-Central Plain	102	138	141	145	658	864	915	928
Central Plain	80	103	109	114	373	433	443	443
Riverina	240	336	334	341	1,662	2,827	2,842	3,214
Western Division	173	158	156	152	1,254	1,659	1,747	1,828
Total	9,464	16,087	16,346	17,129	231,800	382,020	388,515	410,556

* Average weekly during period of operation, including working proprietors. † Revised

No. 34.—Factories—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales.

Article.	Quantity.			Value at Works.		
	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
Food and Drink.						
Aerated Waters gal.	18,234,168	21,421,566	23,400,699	1,966,506	2,422,602	2,987,227
Bacon and Ham† lb.	26,940,662	25,630,471	25,141,122	*	*	*
Beer and Stout gal.	54,104,068	54,704,328	61,965,773	5,107,506	5,213,262	6,128,811
Biscuits (Including Ice Cream Cones) lb.	54,369,416	61,918,928	68,756,916	2,740,906	3,408,897	4,018,000
Bread (2-lb. loaves) thous.	230,466	231,689	241,139	6,096,645	6,309,925	7,470,262
Butter lb.	74,518,519	82,469,478	76,872,944	8,016,997	9,305,183	8,694,560
Confectionery lb.	62,160,694	61,133,814	63,493,936	6,650,099	6,871,640	7,925,765
Cordials, Syrups and Fruit Juices gal.	1,899,722	2,008,901	2,388,409	782,331	835,375	1,124,034
Flour tons (2,000 lb.)	646,199	577,482	677,682	10,530,000	9,580,000	12,520,000
Ice Cream gal.	6,953,982	7,539,683	7,710,657	1,874,563	2,089,051	2,297,803
Jams and Preserves—						
Jams lb.	32,103,721	34,549,438	31,095,530	1,240,478	1,363,643	1,437,484
Preserved Fruit lb.	29,675,858	31,748,305	35,742,541	1,140,271	1,274,010	1,890,658
Preserved Vegetables lb.	24,479,546	32,264,737	32,130,455	1,198,565	1,721,030	1,883,207
Margarine—Table lb.	13,558,795	8,457,096	5,618,627	945,160	621,212	495,795
—Other lb.	33,597,552	38,241,559	30,328,479	1,424,916	1,523,357	1,452,148
Meat, Tinned lb.	13,514,979	13,191,003	15,095,251	1,016,522	1,078,474	1,498,569
Milk—Condensed lb.	1,741,054	3,496,411	1,602,883	61,954	145,298	74,031
Concentrated lb.	18,241,484	20,979,649	19,977,201	485,094	592,503	661,808
Other Processed Whole Milk Products lb.	24,884,994	26,739,142	24,247,060	2,082,403	2,400,514	2,540,115
Sauces pints	10,781,289	12,230,989	12,137,807	853,989	1,071,624	1,235,522
Sugar—Icing lb.	28,932,620	31,572,361	36,809,849	*	*	*
Raw tons	33,003	40,706	41,258	*	*	*
Textiles and Clothing.						
Boots and Shoes pairs	6,116,851	6,024,075	6,287,400	6,148,620	6,737,610	8,545,972
Cardigans and Sweaters, Knitted doz.			183,864			2,526,690
Sports Shirts, Knitted doz.	210,454	215,928	69,308	1,372,931	1,739,706	321,763
Cloth (Woven Piece Goods)—						
Of Cotton sq. yds.	10,796,136	11,914,731	13,043,564	2,364,593	3,592,258	4,470,240
Of Wool sq. yds.	14,211,559	12,617,051	12,499,982	6,294,422	7,936,947	11,128,822
Of Wool and Cotton Mixture sq. yds.	658,374	594,294	847,807	173,859	278,537	423,628
Of Rayon and Rayon Mixture sq. yds.	5,537,119	4,524,554	7,171,257	1,518,711	1,888,198	2,701,248
Handkerchiefs doz.	1,724,761	1,569,213	1,940,482	*	*	*
Hats and Caps No.	3,975,636	3,436,104	3,704,388	*	*	*
Socks and Stockings doz. pairs	762,507	758,409	889,331	1,457,950	1,761,345	2,461,613
Yarn—Cotton (incl. Wool and Cotton Mix.) lb.	12,481,610	12,571,057	16,451,667	*	*	*
Woolen lb.	3,490,378	3,877,743	3,838,973	*	*	*
Worsted (incl. Worst. and Rayon Mix.) lb.	8,428,684	7,914,198	8,218,354	*	*	*
Building Materials.						
Asbestos Cement Building Sheets sq. yds.	8,695,438	8,634,202	9,776,503	996,827	1,075,325	1,446,046
Bricks—Clay thous.	314,323	300,356	341,994	2,029,474	2,144,719	2,080,419
Cement—Portland Grey tons	465,354	554,966	613,425	1,825,481	2,421,276	2,825,384
Fibrous Plaster Sheets sq. yds.	4,415,415	4,170,640	4,963,061	811,034	854,085	1,197,277
Plaster—Ready Mixed gal.	2,251,803	2,591,817	3,157,357	2,746,400	3,075,688	4,494,264
Plywood sq. ft. ($\frac{3}{4}$ -in. basis)	25,572,322	28,008,343	32,287,217	655,094	726,647	910,550
Tiles, Roofing—Terra Cotta thous.	22,783	22,124	22,590	556,612	589,255	726,589
Cement thous.	5,652	8,362	11,213	172,957	280,350	421,124
Timber, Sawn—Native Softwood thous. s. ft.			44,069		*	*
Native Brownwood thous. s. ft.	89,307	70,513	12,120	*	*	*
Native Hardwood thous. s. ft.	264,379	270,630	282,157	*	*	*
Fuel and Power.						
Coke tons	1,723,852	1,738,008	2,079,122	4,441,086	5,174,566	7,774,912
Electric Light and Power thous. kWh	3,727,030	3,758,004	4,251,442	13,101,955	14,720,183	18,549,723
Gas thous. cub. ft.	18,151,045	17,845,995	19,444,111	3,604,020	3,874,608	5,100,176
Motor Spirit (Incl. Benzol) gal.	58,395,521	67,100,772	81,600,919	3,968,927	5,303,507	8,045,709
Metal Manufactures.						
† Iron and Steel—						
Pig Iron tons	899,160	970,617	1,163,558	4,705,569	5,587,871	8,106,938
Steel Ingots tons	1,175,922	1,213,786	1,440,872	8,843,525	10,004,114	13,812,612
Rails, Bars and Sections tons	1,005,540	1,020,641	1,197,812	10,450,331	13,357,725	23,859,554
Fabricated Structural Steel tons	54,764	53,113	68,235	3,099,539	3,454,947	5,285,029
Motor Bodies (excl. Cabins and Conversions) No.	4,341	6,646	8,866	1,351,795	1,562,230	2,125,391
Refrigerators No.	86,636	93,345	116,173	5,329,727	6,456,171	8,968,980
Telegraph and Telephone Equipment No.				2,176,240	3,105,749	4,881,459
Vacuum Cleaners (Electric-Domestic) No.	25,351	29,145	29,105	288,895	352,977	425,869
Wireless Receiving Sets (Complete) No.	177,393	192,179	257,642	2,783,445	3,431,691	5,079,591
Miscellaneous.						
Batteries—Wet Cell No.	734,357	928,838	980,063	1,480,947	2,145,954	2,974,502
Furniture—Iron and Steel No.				984,173	1,211,615	2,004,894
Wood No.				5,505,703	6,326,317	8,392,189
Handbags, Ladies—Leather No.	664,075	623,430	528,457	1,017,554	1,026,148	909,988
Plastic No.	362,181	438,055	490,348	386,376	420,004	449,111
Ice tons	457,181	446,478	428,647	965,785	938,973	1,023,541
Leather—Sold by Weight lb.	13,453,343	12,445,109	12,802,353	1,220,427	1,118,547	1,263,973
Sold by Area sq. ft.	37,281,724	35,423,641	34,829,927	2,677,174	2,761,886	3,450,073
Soap (Including Powders) cwt.	945,653	993,131	1,068,697	2,866,431	4,705,270	4,936,201
Tobacco lb.	12,568,069	12,874,251	13,112,759	6,237,052	6,470,952	6,950,062
Cigarettes No.	6,130,538	6,470,506	6,444,500	4,672,205	4,973,241	5,579,061
Tyres—New No.	886,065	1,036,152	1,195,816	4,433,702	5,583,518	9,570,418
Retreaded and Recapped No.	361,719	393,042	454,926	*	*	*

* Not available.

† Excludes bacon and ham made from interstate imports of green bacon.

‡ Year ended 31st May.

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales.

Quantities of Certain Articles Manufactured and Mined.

The following statistics of production are obtained principally by means of returns collected monthly from producers by the Government Statistician of N.S.W. in conjunction with the Commonwealth Statistician.

Particulars in this table have been revised since last issue on the basis of annual returns for 1950-51. Monthly figures from July, 1951, are still subject to revision.

FOOD AND DRINK.

Period.	Butter. *	Cheese. *	Processed Whole Milk Products.	Bacon and Ham.	Jam.	Preserved Fruit.	Preserved Vegetables.
thousand lb.							
Year—							
1946-47	60,385	4,544	38,302	35,310	51,936	27,408	25,958
1947-48	76,066	5,909	46,475	31,614	58,978	30,556	25,480
1948-49	74,519	5,577	44,868	29,649	32,104	29,676	24,480
1949-50	82,469	6,333	51,215	28,879	34,549	31,748	32,265
1950-51	76,873	6,630	45,827	28,157	31,096	35,743	32,130
Month—							
1950—July	2,737	146	1,283	2,031	2,484	366	1,980
August	3,467	228	1,801	2,155	2,826	446	1,768
September	5,120	529	3,503	2,118	1,673	543	1,233
October	8,575	865	5,077	2,213	1,172	806	2,516
November	9,585	955	6,343	2,774	1,270	1,112	2,321
December	10,453	1,059	6,331	3,103	3,127	3,676	4,149
1951—January	10,825	935	6,191	2,129	3,943	3,201	3,392
February	8,280	751	5,329	2,307	3,318	8,319	2,957
March	7,383	607	3,995	2,250	3,203	12,825	4,528
April	5,079	301	2,505	2,177	2,410	2,832	3,153
May	3,149	155	1,837	2,605	3,190	824	2,040
June	2,220	99	1,632	2,235	2,480	793	2,093
July	2,309	98	1,500	2,272	2,548	665	2,622
August	2,672	123	1,996	2,345	3,386	430	3,380
September	3,248	357	2,732	1,987	2,047	319	2,091
October	5,820	672	4,256	2,055	1,115	332	3,204
November	5,533	735	4,099	2,359	1,481	313	4,173
December	4,353	511	3,339	2,363	1,855	3,712	1,941
1952—January	4,533	377	3,165	1,361	5,368	6,320	2,841
February	3,652	197	2,500	1,697	2,526	4,847	4,258
March	5,852	395	4,018	1,801	2,693	22,163	4,409
April	5,745	434	4,678	2,170	2,161	4,150	3,868

* Production in factories only.

Period.	Flour.	Bran (Wheaten).	Pollard (Wheaten).	Oatmeal and Rolled Oats.	Cornflour (incl. Edible Starch).	Malt.	Biscuits. *
	tons. (2,000 lb.)	tons. (2,000 lb.)	tons. (2,000 lb.)	cwt.	cwt.	bushels.	thous. lb.
Year—							
1946-47	537,389	98,231	124,334	152,515	158,589	608,650	47,512
1947-48	533,975	97,375	119,840	167,110	138,203	656,696	48,068
1948-49	646,109	117,813	151,468	170,251	153,853	633,741	53,299
1949-50	577,482	98,478	133,294	166,183	154,645	603,615	60,789
1950-51	677,682	112,744	146,879	162,166	179,891	656,331	67,725
Month—							
1950—July	57,257	9,300	12,651	18,243	16,873	52,857	4,725
August	60,877	10,021	13,265	13,766	16,560	58,764	6,115
September	58,197	9,643	12,806	9,054	19,352	54,072	6,766
October	52,582	8,604	11,516	8,766	13,476	55,192	5,594
November	51,515	8,629	11,287	10,926	15,515	55,589	5,487
December	52,443	8,765	10,777	7,376	11,448	44,048	5,179
1951—January	58,291	9,774	12,772	6,927	10,961	43,211	4,208
February	53,127	9,094	11,934	13,499	16,957	46,913	5,388
March	55,146	9,256	11,954	12,194	15,636	62,231	6,079
April	56,245	9,489	12,097	17,478	13,900	61,422	5,690
May	61,254	9,985	12,331	23,238	15,575	64,224	5,748
June	60,748	10,184	13,489	20,699	13,638	57,808	6,746
July	66,938	10,823	14,589	23,703	18,279	61,909	6,256
August	56,847	9,288	12,198	17,633	18,734	65,008	7,362
September	50,872	8,457	11,091	15,015	16,245	61,788	6,254
October	52,240	8,455	11,609	15,015	19,223	62,482	6,329
November	52,574	8,366	11,349	6,530	15,233	62,753	7,079
December	45,188	10,044	7,515	5,952	8,473	52,829	4,644
1952—January	53,643	8,738	11,833	6,400	6,896	44,143	4,370
February	44,770	7,202	9,759	9,724	16,319	49,432	7,446
March	35,787	5,903	7,953	18,347	13,748	59,608	6,684
April	29,424	4,627	6,433	20,048	14,606	62,365	6,724

* Excluding ice cream cones.

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—*continued.*FOOD AND DRINK—*continued.*

Period.	Margarine.		Ice Cream.	Confectionery.		Beer.
	Table.	Other.		Chocolate (excl. Coverture).	Other.	
	thous. lb.	thous. lb.	thous. gal.	thous. lb.	thous. lb.	thous. gal.
Year—						
1946-47	9,206	21,570	5,278	28,460§	35,169	50,654
1947-48	5,177	27,938	5,852	27,799§	34,896	45,626
1948-49	13,559	33,598	6,954	27,253	34,094	54,104
1949-50	8,457	38,242	7,540	28,910	31,307	54,704
1950-51	5,619	36,328	7,711	25,766	34,900	61,966
Month—						
1950—July	309	3,418	316	2,952	2,768	5,199
August	175	3,699	518	2,770	3,225	5,208
September	181	3,208	620	2,107	3,125	4,891
October	384	2,938	639	2,047	3,064	5,137
November	559	3,178	759	1,917	3,207	5,316
December	389	2,141	891	1,496	2,356	5,162
1951—January	202	1,615	807	1,165	1,850	5,237
February	216	2,709	816	1,903	2,874	4,856
March	883	2,647	847	1,966	2,964	5,123
April	947	3,182	566	2,252	3,060	5,156
May	554	3,410	542	2,587	3,293	5,520
June	820	4,183	390	2,604	3,114	5,161
July	1,001	4,261	438	2,889	3,274	5,571
August	627	4,462	513	2,791	3,433	5,821
September	952	3,976	704	2,751	2,939	5,435
October	1,148	3,303	736	1,539	3,304	5,697
November	571	3,686	798	1,307	3,451	5,732
December	676	2,665	827	1,077	2,240	5,366
1952—January	355	2,270	1,107	851	1,737	5,657
February	600	2,496	862	1,549	2,735	5,588
March	1,632	3,610	715	2,152	2,834	6,008
April	1,345	3,197	529	2,054	2,716	5,369

§ Including coverture.

CLOTHING.

Period.	Hosiery.		Hats, Felt.	Brassieres.	Gloves.		Boots and Shoes. †	Slippers.
	Women's, Maids' and Girls'.	Other.			Dress.	Work.*		
	doz. pairs.	doz. pairs.	doz.	doz.	doz. pairs.	doz. pairs.	thous. pairs	thous. pairs
Year—								
1946-47	301,363	445,562	142,781	87,564	16,562	119,560	7,201	3,041
1947-48	340,307	460,334	140,662	84,945	13,866	104,793	6,250	3,143
1948-49	351,954	411,453	147,498	116,876	9,727	106,474	6,117	2,804
1949-50	383,837	374,572	118,724	148,312	11,041	106,610	6,024	2,822
1950-51	465,854	423,477	115,241	168,814	14,277	125,834	6,287	2,755
Month—								
1950—July	40,706	30,752	6,879	12,660	1,315	9,821	517	220
August	42,811	38,495	7,837	16,470	1,269	12,421	588	265
September	42,448	37,501	6,693	15,760	1,336	10,854	583	244
October	38,475	39,032	8,332	16,389	1,261	10,735	549	247
November	45,734	44,760	10,310	16,254	1,509	10,801	592	287
December	31,784	30,380	9,630	11,587	1,125	8,217	416	182
1951—January	27,319	23,969	18,487	8,828	592	9,283	357	146
February	40,028	30,051	11,912	13,768	1,154	10,705	505	202
March	36,473	35,232	9,475	11,919	1,050	10,620	523	198
April	38,084	36,467	9,650	14,103	1,173	10,080	500	242
May	42,257	38,113	10,818	15,583	1,247	11,296	584	261
June	39,735	32,725	5,218	15,493	1,246	11,001	573	261
July	43,360	39,791	6,041	13,117	1,259	12,003	562	266
August	40,153	43,057	7,228	18,669	1,533	14,250	597	262
September	42,674	36,350	5,935	17,196	1,616	12,662	576	259
October	46,861	40,687	7,930	16,157	1,250	12,613	605	274
November	44,858	38,450	7,550	17,631	1,439	13,392	596	287
December	29,840	25,636	5,264	13,970	928	8,511	399	176
1952—January	20,222	20,328	6,157	8,684	806	10,851	318	130
February	31,869	30,253	8,335	9,304	1,282	13,781	482	150
March	29,730	28,219	8,194	7,557	1,254	14,155	486	174
April	30,348	27,293	8,776	11,843	1,128	14,096	429	171

* Excluding rubber gloves.

† Includes sandals but not rubber footwear.

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—*continued.*

METALS, COAL AND ENERGY.

Period.	Gold.	Coal.	Coke (Metallurg.).	Pig Iron.	Ingot Steel.	Gas.	Electricity.
	fine oz.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	million cub. ft.	million kWh.
Year—							
1946-47 ...	43,607	11,212	1,184*	926*	1,312*	16,744	3,229
1947-48 ...	50,599	11,780	1,366*	1,030*	1,343*	18,093	3,546
1948-49 ...	57,981	11,736	1,130	897	1,129	18,151	3,717
1949-50 ...	47,288	11,290	1,164	1,002	1,266	17,846	3,758
1950-51 ...	52,834	12,683	1,488	1,158	1,405	19,444	4,241
Month—							
1950—		†					
July ...	3,669	1,042	122	88	104	1,589	383
August ...	4,467	1,229	134	104	125	1,747	379
September ...	4,846	1,151	139	106	136	1,639	353
October ...	4,647	1,203	140	112	133	1,609	352
November ...	4,755	1,212	142	103	131	1,568	346
December ...	3,269	980	128	98	118	1,516	333
1951—							
January ...	4,745	552	101	76	93	1,494	328
February ...	4,716	870	96	81	97	1,425	317
March ...	4,680	1,007	115	93	107	1,559	350
April ...	4,633	1,124	128	107	129	1,633	356
May ...	4,802	1,168	121	97	117	1,798	367
June ...	3,605	1,145	122	94	115	1,867	377
July ...	3,662	1,279	139	93	111	2,059	406
August ...	4,322	1,338	144	100	138	1,986	408
September ...	3,770	1,203	137	103	132	1,786	371
October ...	4,168	1,434	132	102	124	1,770	385
November ...	4,104	1,352	135	110	136	1,669	389
December ...	2,081	1,041	138	111	134	1,649	359
1952—							
January ...	3,356	806	138	113	137	1,568	367
February ...	3,053	1,271	134	103	126	1,557	371
March ...	3,297	1,352	147	110	135	1,660	389
April ...	2,948	1,220	145	103	115	1,641	379

*Year ended 31st May.

† Monthly totals are approximate.

MISCELLANEOUS METAL PRODUCTS.

Period.	Engines (Internal Combustion).		Electric Motors.		Motor Bodies (excl. Cabins and Conversions).	Pedal Cycles.
	Marine.	Other.	Under 1 h.p.	Over 1 h.p.		
Year—	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.
1946-47 ...	2,803	8,943	82,382*		2,719	30,259
1947-48 ...	2,839	11,165	80,465*	25,533*	3,240	28,567
1948-49 ...	2,343	16,642	182,290	31,338	4,341	27,605
1949-50 ...	2,185	17,560	274,228	26,146	6,646	26,539
1950-51 ...	2,160	21,586	369,684	34,166	8,866	29,156
Month—						
1950—						
July ...	156	1,731	27,006	2,750	639	2,640
August ...	176	1,907	30,483	3,295	767	2,707
September ...	186	1,883	30,250	3,264	739	2,472
October ...	172	1,734	32,619	3,151	748	2,771
November ...	202	1,906	32,309	3,161	769	3,564
December ...	220	1,856	32,677	2,157	642	3,118
1951—						
January ...	180	1,126	20,239	1,524	463	1,502
February ...	159	1,659	30,185	2,731	729	1,928
March ...	152	1,779	31,496	3,073	771	1,909
April ...	157	1,829	30,978	2,941	797	2,003
May ...	216	2,003	35,967	3,373	961	2,183
June ...	184	2,173	35,475	2,746	841	2,359
July ...	233	2,219	32,342	2,734	925	2,578
August ...	199	2,475	36,488	3,253	910	2,358
September ...	181	2,403	35,610	3,135	820	2,545
October ...	168	2,344	36,042	2,993	739	2,933
November ...	214	2,447	39,932	3,063	925	3,492
December ...	184	1,425	28,324	2,090	778	2,698
1952—						
January ...	106	1,294	27,774	1,725	478	1,477
February ...	127	1,298	31,456	2,600	712	2,107
March ...	154	1,615	31,665	3,265	760	2,027
April ...	103	1,333	26,182	2,954	605	1,339

* Electric motors for sale as such; later totals include electric motors incorporated in finished products.

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—*continued.*

BUILDING MATERIALS AND FITTINGS.

Period.	Sawn Timber (Native).	Bricks (Clay).	Tiles.		Asbestos Cement Building Sheets.	Fibrous Plaster Sheets.	Cement.
			Terra Cotta.	Cement.			
Year—	million sup. ft.	thousand.	thousand.	thousand.	thousand sq. yd.	thousand sq. yd.	tons.
1946-47	300.9	249,533	19,523	230	9,657	3,397	393,397
1947-48	332.6	303,221	21,594	2,841	9,018	3,985	441,023
1948-49	353.7	314,323	22,783	5,652	8,695	4,415	465,354
1949-50	341.1	300,356	22,124	8,362	8,634	4,171	554,966
1950-51	338.3	341,994	22,590	11,213	9,777	4,963	613,425
Month—							
1950—July	33.9	25,737	1,542	859	818	395	49,993
August	17.8	31,985	1,790	902	854	426	58,439
September	16.9	31,058	2,001	1,013	958	459	58,171
October	28.5	30,903	2,093	1,114	900	455	59,143
November	32.5	31,821	2,218	903	900	451	50,447
December	29.8	23,328	1,600	655	461	317	37,642
1951—January	31.6	20,980	1,588	821	598	343	38,542
February	26.5	27,884	2,039	884	811	418	53,583
March	19.9	27,002	1,930	860	842	424	48,862
April	30.0	30,221	2,032	1,024	822	436	53,159
May	31.8	33,428	2,107	1,076	916	425	57,006
June	39.1	27,647	1,650	1,102	897	414	48,438
July	36.1	30,753	1,634	1,436	890	452	52,689
August	25.4	33,887	1,926	1,533	651	466	46,234
September	41.1	31,097	1,912	1,653	949	454	46,945
October	38.4	34,697	2,213	1,622	938	468	56,500
November	38.7	31,592	2,073	1,686	953	476	52,914
December	42.5	24,250	1,612	1,483	815	347	43,288
1952—January	38.8	22,318	1,427	1,248	624	344	41,545
February	28.8	29,064	1,963	1,465	928	450	56,905
March	31.1	28,530	2,239	1,404	933	455	56,661
April	30.6	28,072	2,172	1,216	850	383	52,819

Period.	Paints.		Stoves—Cooking—Domestic.			
	Lacquers, Enamels, etc.	Ready- mixed.	Solid Fuel.	Gas.	Electric.	
					Stoves.	Stovettes (excl. Cookers).
Year—	Thousand. gal.	Thousand. gal.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.
1946-47	1,138	1,568	12,033	12,883	31,221	*
1947-48	1,404	1,762	11,748	14,627		
1948-49	1,569	1,823	12,810	19,906	18,908	*
1949-50	1,826	1,914	10,307	20,723	14,178	23,128
1950-51	1,575	2,577	14,183	26,933	16,623	38,074
Month—						
1950—July	130	163	1,115	1,911	1,303	1,861
August	133	193	1,369	2,135	1,556	2,996
September	135	212	1,318	2,239	1,562	2,968
October	133	237	1,174	2,182	1,510	3,099
November	153	249	1,470	2,553	1,676	3,715
December	112	186	1,166	1,639	1,266	2,522
1951—January	96	149	827	1,602	738	1,777
February	126	221	1,147	2,489	1,198	3,140
March	130	243	1,142	2,346	1,528	3,728
April	123	259	1,147	2,467	1,240	3,692
May	154	217	1,292	3,731	1,569	4,271
June	149	248	1,016	1,639	1,468	4,305
July	165	329	1,199	2,582	1,472	2,962
August	179	340	1,478	2,636	1,651	4,203
September	172	351	1,295	2,428	1,730	3,334
October	174	350	1,267	2,601	1,542	3,777
November	173	311	1,376	2,569	1,964	3,655
December	126	213	496	1,522	1,154	1,705
1952—January	128	201	1,024	2,097	1,359	1,068
February	154	252	1,135	2,262	1,115	1,208
March	145	229	1,629	1,873	1,125	1,463
April	127	148	1,188	1,333	1,193	1,705

* Not available.

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—*continued.*BUILDING MATERIALS AND FITTINGS—*continued.*

Period.	Baths (all types).	Sinks— Stainless Steel.	Bath Heaters.			Coppers (complete).			Refrigera- tors— House- hold.
			Solid Fuel and Kerosene.	Gas.	Electric.	Solid Fuel.	Gas.	Electric.	
Year—						No.			
1946-47	*	6,969	*	*	*	*	*	*	40,975
1947-48	35,219	13,079	35,696	28,580	7,375	*	*	*	66,771
1948-49	45,646	12,867	35,201	22,414	6,301	58,969	24,256	14,121	84,232
1949-50	40,635	18,431	44,127	13,845	7,800	74,271	20,765	16,470	90,053
1950-51	45,583	22,759	42,219	17,191	8,863	83,944	24,847	24,081	113,603
Month—									
1950—July	3,783	2,212	4,497	1,203	551	9,727	1,692	1,918	8,076
August	4,353	2,233	4,331	2,161	624	7,002	2,415	1,882	9,229
September	4,050	1,946	3,511	1,389	1,004	9,178	2,229	1,657	9,474
October	4,027	2,014	5,053	1,321	906	6,063	2,328	2,012	10,549
November	4,842	2,118	2,716	1,423	788	7,726	2,622	2,681	11,974
December	3,256	1,647	921	1,454	721	8,417	1,677	1,700	10,958
1951—January	2,453	1,189	2,239	1,053	402	5,552	1,274	1,305	7,542
February	3,190	1,944	2,457	1,395	773	6,988	2,222	2,196	8,029
March	3,105	1,610	1,345	1,602	727	7,433	2,228	2,730	9,694
April	3,438	1,714	5,568	1,564	2,367	7,314	2,278	2,236	8,809
May	4,815	2,140	4,082	1,532		4,752	2,667	2,102	9,132
June	4,271	1,992	5,499	1,094		3,792	1,215	1,662	10,137
July	5,114	1,988	5,065	1,543	861	5,118	1,828	2,318	11,126
August	4,079	2,293	5,982	1,484	590	6,981	2,789	2,173	10,930
September	4,538	2,137	4,791	1,527	805	6,581	2,662	2,137	10,117
October	3,974	2,051	4,879	1,585	987	7,462	2,048	2,758	10,690
November	4,128	2,116	3,192	1,485	923	7,941	1,469	2,816	12,654
December	2,518	1,498	1,284	888	652	5,167	1,201	1,616	7,753
1952—January	3,083	1,490	372	966	758	8,162	1,156	1,514	6,489
February	3,228	2,310	2,132	1,353	714	6,366	1,549	1,822	8,434
March	4,637	2,250	1,522	1,693	757	5,694	1,183	1,091	7,424
April	4,793	1,947	3,069	1,284	509	6,931	1,268	718	5,854

* Not available.

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Period.	Wireless Cabinets.	Mattresses.			Perambula- tors.	Sulphate of Ammonia.
		Wire.	Inner Spring.	Other.		
Year—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	tons.
1946-47	196,978	59,782	36,296	129,937	48,859	22,377
1947-48	213,226	53,245	58,828	181,078	56,201	24,611
1948-49	180,023	55,590	85,574	166,699	45,754	28,780
1949-50	222,818	69,650	107,057	190,543	48,410	32,353
1950-51	276,682	78,285	157,406	166,865	53,334	37,222
Month—						
1950—July	27,668	4,984	8,903	13,530	3,142	2,821
August	27,171	6,947	10,550	15,256	4,334	3,701
September	25,422	6,614	12,435	15,380	4,221	3,482
October	30,386	6,227	11,714	14,259	3,711	3,464
November	22,972	6,935	14,226	16,211	4,920	3,264
December	21,964	5,459	10,602	13,284	4,053	2,561
1951—January	17,394	3,945	9,401	10,501	4,271	2,454
February	18,558	6,321	13,476	14,055	5,366	2,705
March	17,120	7,092	15,430	13,256	3,937	2,184
April	19,597	7,729	16,977	12,758	5,474	3,157
May... ..	24,695	8,180	18,259	14,569	4,617	3,583
June	23,735	7,852	15,433	13,806	5,288	3,846
July	27,443	6,935	13,796	13,139	7,051	3,437
August	24,393	7,719	14,148	16,214	6,543	3,910
September	23,225	7,632	9,941	15,673	5,447	3,479
October	16,205	6,145	11,201	13,920	8,099	3,446
November	16,802	7,053	10,403	9,372	5,826	3,333
December	13,127	4,586	6,973	7,782	3,118	3,881
1952—January	10,006	3,615	7,637	6,801	4,543	3,472
February	16,588	5,095	11,319	8,429	4,942	3,053
March	10,158	5,727	11,524	8,255	5,469	3,442
April	12,030	4,796	10,007	7,167	6,012	3,219

No. 35.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS—continued.

Period.	Soap.				Cleansing and Scouring Powders.	Sulphuric Acid.
	Toilet (incl. Shampoos and Shaving Soap).	Household (incl. Flakes, Chips, Extracts and Powders).	Industrial (incl. Flakes, Chips, Extracts and Powders).	Other (Liquid, Soft and Sand.)		
Year—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.
1946-47	188,232	369,906	67,684	65,783	91,474	
1947-48	228,973	511,658	99,387	61,050	88,973	
1948-49	219,348	619,492	106,813	58,348	94,542	
1949-50	227,888	620,561	42,302	102,380	47,468	93,763
1950-51	241,185	666,063	62,289	99,160	53,696	112,151
Month—						
1950—July	15,718	57,578	4,240	8,037	4,324	8,923
August	14,732	54,304	5,477	9,666	4,872	8,957
September	18,533	55,155	6,080	8,217	3,943	8,950
October	24,197	50,635	6,059	9,134	4,434	9,662
November	21,388	53,974	5,021	10,719	4,036	9,917
December	14,601	48,198	4,510	8,023	3,374	10,601
1951—January	16,634	32,044	3,065	8,515	3,320	8,487
February	19,671	56,660	4,630	8,818	4,139	8,300
March	22,640	58,342	5,600	7,233	7,291	9,552
April	24,657	61,984	5,794	7,019	4,249	9,019
May	22,518	68,824	5,541	7,276	5,873	10,001
June	25,896	68,305	6,272	6,503	3,841	9,782
July	26,134	69,426	5,471	6,588	4,186	10,223
August	24,588	55,625	4,670	7,879	5,171	10,139
September	21,566	56,384	4,649	7,888	4,871	9,433
October	23,781	59,099	6,077	9,498	5,218	9,845
November	25,167	61,192	4,699	9,243	4,638	8,921
December	16,371	62,075	3,589	7,272	2,290	9,567
1952—January	16,551	37,911	2,919	6,734	2,669	9,797
February	26,607	67,846	5,369	10,256	4,068	8,534
March	18,629	53,896	6,005	8,722	3,540	9,469
April	20,731	57,738	3,941	8,007	4,993	9,571

No. 36.—Net Value of Production,* Recorded Industries.—N.S.W.

Year.	Rural Industries.				Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.	Mines and Quarries. †	Total Primary Industries.	Manu- facturing.	Total.	
	Pastoral.	Agri- cultural.	Dairying and Farmyard.	Total Rural Industries.						
£ thousand.										
1938-39	...	23,613	13,401	13,147	50,161	3,429	9,948	63,538	90,266	153,804
1939-40	...	34,562	18,093	13,266	65,921	3,658	10,927	80,506	96,609	177,115
1940-41	...	35,305	11,215	13,368	59,888	4,646	10,233	74,767	115,044	189,811
1941-42	...	34,121	16,043	12,834	62,998	6,045	12,403	81,446	138,790	220,236
1942-43	...	38,212	24,444	17,070	79,726	5,507	12,897	98,130	153,582	251,712
1943-44	...	42,580	27,916	18,112	88,608	7,026	13,158	108,792	162,726	271,518
1944-45	...	37,452	17,499	20,080	75,031	7,048	13,137	95,216	159,875	255,091
1945-46	...	34,043	39,345	21,596	94,984	8,908	13,116	117,008	153,179	270,187
1946-47	...	52,666	20,351	21,179	94,196	10,338	16,506	121,040	186,546	307,586
1947-48	...	76,622	79,308	25,692	181,622	9,284	22,285	213,191	218,611	431,802
1948-49	...	99,746	46,205	28,991	174,942	10,623	28,198	213,763	251,199	464,962
1949-50	...	145,919	62,090	33,943	241,952	10,293	30,843	283,088	283,201	566,289
1950-51	...	317,206	39,600	38,852	395,658	13,719	39,634	449,011	366,168	815,179

* Represents gross value at place of production less value of goods used in the process of production, e.g., fodder, seed, fertiliser used on farms, and raw materials and fuel in factories.

† Calendar years 1938 to 1950.

‡ Preliminary. Subject to revision.

§ Does not include profits realised under the wartime plan for disposal of the 1939-40 to 1945-46 wool clips. Two interim distributions of such profits have been made, viz., £9,742,721 in 1949-50 and £9,742,721 in 1951-52.

§ Excludes interim distribution of profits; see note §.

No. 37.—Building Approved—Value of New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.

Areas of New South Wales—Private and Government.

Note.—1. "Value" represents the estimated cost of the building when completed (exclusive of the land).

2. Building is classified as "Private" or "Government" according to ownership.

3. The value of building approved is the value of permits issued by local government councils, plus the value of contracts let or work commenced and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities.

4. Buildings on rural holdings are for the most part excluded.

Period.	Metropolis.		Balance of Cumberland.	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.
	City.	Suburbs.			
	£	£	£	£	£
PRIVATE.					
Year—					
1941* ...	552,021	10,295,380	1,488,328	3,269,627	15,605,356
1942* ...	270,951	1,174,687	199,472	879,565	2,524,675
1943* ...	248,446	1,112,197	139,057	369,331	1,869,031
1944* ...	332,054	1,270,874	352,983	516,419	2,472,330
1945* ...	264,231	5,007,077	2,676,688	1,953,009	9,901,005
1946* ...	1,213,194	16,856,993	6,830,534	6,675,910	31,576,631
1947* ...	1,314,743	18,937,314	7,944,250	8,651,549	36,847,856
1947† ...	1,314,743	18,937,314	7,944,250	13,621,132	41,817,439
1948† ...	1,228,675	21,366,827	10,744,730	16,102,717	49,442,949
1949† ...		26,869,038	12,272,427	19,781,479	58,922,944
1950† ...		37,214,471	17,916,424	20,987,393	83,118,288
1951† ...		42,602,291	19,777,711	33,331,579	97,711,581
Quarter—					
1950†—March ...	8,178,877		3,910,943	5,850,340	17,940,160
June ...	9,495,418		4,042,845	6,429,136	19,967,399
September ...	9,548,373		5,098,636	7,149,257	21,796,266
December ...	9,991,803		4,864,000	7,558,660	22,414,463
1951†—March ...	11,197,195		4,711,974	9,443,231	25,352,400
June ...	12,580,008		6,137,079	9,261,126	27,978,213
September ...	10,367,309		4,736,115	9,983,853	25,087,277
December ...	8,457,779		4,192,543	6,643,369	19,293,691
1952†—March ...	6,359,021		3,649,749	4,928,634	14,937,404
GOVERNMENT.					
Year—					
1941 ...	1,725,143		2,903,813		4,628,956
1942 ...	1,370,592		3,932,323		5,302,915
1943 ...	3,109,004		1,574,320		4,683,324
1944 ...	1,606,227		2,304,145		3,910,372
1945 ...	3,661,801		1,638,295		5,300,096
1946 ...	3,793,518		2,051,068		6,444,586
1947 ...	4,299,295		3,022,773		7,322,068
1948 ...	6,243,908		1,446,160	3,652,917	11,342,985
1949 ...	7,549,806		1,574,455	5,119,970	14,244,231
1950 ...	8,061,206		1,738,536	7,575,464	17,375,206
1951 ...	9,646,722		3,848,485	8,890,739†	22,385,946†
Quarter—					
1950—March ...	1,449,011		432,267	1,419,748	3,301,026
June ...	2,106,767		216,135	1,483,590	3,806,492
September ...	2,280,945		416,069	2,495,255	5,196,269
December ...	2,244,483		674,065	2,176,871	5,075,419
1951—March ...	2,686,609		1,244,921	1,518,306	5,449,836
June ...	2,180,260		955,010	2,099,522	5,234,792
September ...	3,053,752		1,063,509	2,911,906	7,029,167
December ...	1,726,101		585,045	2,361,005†	4,672,151†
1952—March ...	1,516,791		845,872	1,439,512	3,802,175
PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT.					
Year—					
1941* ...	12,572,544		7,661,768		20,234,312
1942* ...	2,816,240		5,011,360		7,827,590
1943* ...	4,469,647		2,082,708		6,552,355
1944* ...	3,209,155		3,173,547		6,382,702
1945* ...	8,933,109		6,267,992		15,201,101
1946* ...	21,863,705		16,157,512		38,021,217
1947* ...	24,551,352		19,618,572		44,169,924
1947† ...	24,551,352		24,588,155		49,139,507
1948† ...	28,830,410		12,190,890	19,755,634	60,785,934
1949† ...	34,418,844		13,846,882	24,901,449	73,167,175
1950† ...	45,275,677		19,654,960	34,562,857	99,493,494
1951† ...	52,249,013		23,626,196	44,222,318†	120,097,527†
Quarter—					
1950†—March ...	9,627,888		4,343,210	7,270,088	21,241,186
June ...	11,602,185		4,258,980	7,912,726	23,773,891
September ...	11,829,318		5,514,705	9,644,512	26,988,535
December ...	12,216,286		5,538,065	9,735,531	27,489,882
1951†—March ...	13,883,804		5,956,895	10,961,537	30,802,236
June ...	14,760,268		7,092,089	11,360,648	33,213,005
September ...	13,421,061		5,799,624	12,895,759	32,116,444
December ...	10,183,880		4,777,888	9,004,374†	23,965,842†
1952†—March ...	7,875,812		4,495,621	6,368,146	18,739,579

* Permits issued by local councils of Sydney and Suburbs, 129 country towns and 7 extra-metropolitan shires.

† Permits issued by all local councils in the State. ‡ Revised.

No. 38.—Building Approved—Value of New Buildings, Alterations and Additions:
Principal Classes of Building, N.S.W.—Private and Government.

(For definitions see notes above Table 37.)

Period.	Houses.	Flats (incl. Con- versions).	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops Only.	Factories.	Other Buildings.	Total.
PRIVATE—£ thousand.								
Year—								
1941* ...	10,178	2,370	116	177	185	1,448	1,131	15,605
1942* ...	970	36	25	12	29	1,004	449	2,525
1943* ...	284	13	25	12	16	1,125	394	1,869
1944* ...	723	20	14	7	33	1,225	450	2,472
1945* ...	8,004	59	152	23	95	978	590	9,901
1946* ...	22,950	789	431	321	732	4,212	2,141	31,576
1947* ...	28,649	1,409	459	384	494	3,741	1,712	36,848
1947† ...	33,039	1,461	480	466	570	3,852	1,949	41,817
1948† ...	40,486	1,763	247	469	355	4,055	2,068	49,443
1949† ...	49,387	2,104	111	712	466	3,680	2,463	58,923
1950† ...	63,855	3,103	359	1,381	948	7,180	5,292	82,118
1951† ...	68,338	3,283	1,078	1,394	1,423	12,920	9,276	97,712
Quarter—								
1950†—March ...	14,577	752	55	314	112	1,266	864	17,940
June ...	15,814	978	27	237	239	1,561	1,112	19,668
September ...	17,042	599	178	420	276	2,208	1,074	21,797
December ...	16,423	775	99	410	321	2,145	2,241	22,414
1951†—March ...	17,793	1,155	302	312	284	4,103	1,403	25,352
June ...	19,990	840	490	526	368	2,565	3,199	27,978
September ...	17,664	684	155	267	439	3,690	2,188	25,087
December ...	12,891	604	131	290	331	2,561	2,486	19,294
1952†—March ...	10,995	153	223	242	234	2,059	1,031	14,937

GOVERNMENT—£ thousand.								
Year—								
1941 ...	336	...	...	...	...	4,293	...	4,629
1942 ...	350	...	...	...	...	4,953	...	5,303
1943 ...	127	...	...	...	...	4,556	...	4,683
1944 ...	349	...	...	...	...	3,561	...	3,910
1945 ...	2,404	...	...	...	...	2,896	...	5,300
1946 ...	4,043	62	...	33	...	368	1,939	6,445
1947 ...	4,001	211	...	3	...	468	2,639	7,322
1948 ...	5,733	504	...	98	...	1,369	3,639	11,343
1949 ...	5,243	887	...	...	...	1,507	6,607	14,244
1950 ...	6,208	1,276	...	...	7	1,439	8,445	17,375
1951 ...	8,729†	912	12	14	75	1,540	11,104	22,386†
Quarter—								
1950—March ...	1,744	163	...	...	...	34	1,360	3,301
June ...	1,623	489	...	...	...	57	1,637	3,806
September ...	1,435	194	...	...	7	986	2,570	5,192
December ...	1,405	429	...	...	...	363	2,879	5,076
1951—March ...	1,571	113	...	14	...	501	3,251	5,450
June ...	2,366	160	...	...	75	245	2,389	5,235
September ...	2,192	322	12	...	...	470	4,034	7,030
December ...	2,600†	317	...	...	...	325	1,430	4,672†
1952—March ...	2,030	60	9	...	...	59	1,644	3,802

PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT—£ thousand.								
Year—								
1941* ...	10,514	2,370	116	177	185	6,872	...	20,234
1942* ...	1,320	36	25	12	29	6,406	...	7,828
1943* ...	411	13	25	12	16	6,075	...	6,552
1944* ...	1,072	20	14	7	33	5,236	...	6,382
1945* ...	10,408	59	152	23	95	4,464	...	15,201
1946* ...	26,993	851	431	354	732	4,580	4,080	38,621
1947* ...	32,650	1,620	459	387	494	4,209	4,351	44,170
1947† ...	37,040	1,672	480	469	570	4,320	4,588	49,139
1948† ...	46,219	2,267	247	567	355	5,424	5,707	60,786
1949† ...	54,630	2,991	111	712	466	5,167	9,070	73,167
1950† ...	70,063	4,379	359	1,381	955	8,619	13,737	99,493
1951† ...	77,067†	4,195	1,090	1,408	1,498	14,460	20,380	120,098†
Quarter—								
1950†—March ...	16,321	915	55	314	112	1,300	2,224	21,241
June ...	17,437	1,467	27	237	239	1,618	2,749	23,774
September ...	18,477	793	178	420	283	3,194	3,644	26,989
December ...	17,828	1,204	99	410	321	2,508	5,120	27,490
1951†—March ...	19,364	1,268	302	326	284	4,604	4,654	30,802
June ...	22,356	1,000	490	526	443	2,810	5,588	33,213
September ...	19,856	1,006	167	267	439	4,160	6,222	32,117
December ...	15,491†	921	131	290	331	2,886	3,916	23,966†
1952†—March ...	13,025	213	232	242	234	2,118	2,675	18,739

* Permits issued by local councils of Sydney and Suburbs, 129 country towns, and 7 extra-metropolitan shires.

† Permits issued by all local councils in the State. ‡ Revised.

No. 39.—New Buildings* Commenced—Private and Government—N.S.W.

Estimated Cost (when completed).

Period.	Houses.	Flats.	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops Only.	Factories.	Other New Buildings.	Total.
£ thousand.								
Year ended Dec. —								
1947 ...	24,950	1,017	75	157	126	2,998	3,862	33,185
1948 ...	32,867	2,067	171	337	84	2,691	3,378	41,595
1949 ...	35,034	2,275	337	229	136	2,372	6,044	46,427
1950 ...	44,779	2,738	308	579	178	5,378	10,947	64,907
1951 ...	58,398	2,847	108	985	698	7,147	15,668	85,851
Quarter—								
1950—Sept. ...	11,848	610	...	162	70	1,267	3,308	17,265
Dec. ...	12,918	715	82	179	29	1,742	4,327	19,992
1951—Mar. ...	13,106	539	...	156	105	776	4,210	18,892
June ...	15,271†	847	...	339	266	2,187	4,692	23,602†
Sept. ...	14,920†	734	88	234	153	1,717	3,231	21,077†
Dec. ...	15,101†	727	20	256	174	2,467	3,535	22,280†
1952—Mar. ...	13,869†	352	77	179	147	921	4,583	20,128†

* Excluding minor alterations and additions to buildings.

† Preliminary.

No. 40.—New Buildings* Completed—Private and Government—N.S.W.

Estimated Cost.

Period.	Houses.	Flats.	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops only.	Factories.	Other New Buildings.	Total.
£ thousand.								
Year ended Dec. —								
1947 ...	16,717	513	39	96	114	1,524	1,259	20,262
1948 ...	25,028	1,190	45	187	81	1,601	1,826	29,958
1949 ...	30,261	1,702	231	293	163	2,506	2,446	37,602
1950 ...	35,383	1,606	299	464	138	2,901	3,609	44,400
1951 ...	45,342	2,492	100	611	212	2,611	6,750	58,118
Quarter—								
1950—Sept. ...	8,814	372	66	118	35	721	1,040	11,166
Dec. ...	10,921	491	7	145	39	614	940	13,157
1951—Mar. ...	9,240	361	18	126	44	452	1,131	11,372
June ...	10,420†	520	82	157	26	725	1,841	13,771†
Sept. ...	11,399†	895	...	167	42	511	1,836	14,850†
Dec. ...	14,283†	716	...	161	100	923	1,942	18,125†
1952—Mar. ...	14,824†	536	...	209	120	1,477	3,177	20,343†

* Excluding minor alterations and additions to buildings.

† Preliminary.

No. 41.—Building—Number of New Houses Commenced and Completed in Statistical Divisions of N.S.W.

Private and government, including owner-built houses, but excluding some new houses on farms and military huts converted into temporary dwellings.

Statistical Division.	Commenced.				Completed.			
	Year ended 31st December.				Year ended 31st December.			
	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.*	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.*
Metropolis ...	8,619	8,264	9,011	8,541	7,358	7,742	7,610	7,786
Balance of Cumberland ...	4,480	4,603	5,324	6,187	3,111	3,534	4,181	3,736
Division of Cumberland ...	13,099	12,867	14,335	14,728	10,469	11,276	11,791	11,522
Rest of New South Wales—								
North Coast ...	1,059	1,066	1,081	1,181	1,022	1,024	1,068	1,138
Hunter and Manning ...	2,629	2,605	2,633	3,181	2,408	2,093	2,056	2,493
South Coast ...	1,676	1,887	2,068	2,371	1,102	1,546	1,800	2,117
Northern Tableland ...	259	251	196	303	232	244	200	254
Central Tableland ...	636	718	749	1,018	471	505	627	640
Southern Tableland ...	167	269	431	653	173	136	247	430
North Western Slope ...	270	257	324	380	223	217	359	281
Central Western Slope ...	312	274	206	367	260	241	195	311
South Western Slope ...	523	580	576	781	418	538	497	608
North Central Plain ...	89	43	55	67	88	68	59	40
Central Plain ...	23	37	16	66	39	47	17	39
Riverina ...	271	222	236	308	231	231	211	252
Western Div. and Unincorp. ...	53	276	270	254	116	110	192	254
Total, Rest of N.S.W. ...	7,967	8,485	8,841	10,930	6,783	7,000	7,528	8,857
Total, N.S.W. ...	21,066	21,352	23,176	25,658	17,252	18,276	19,319	20,379

* Preliminary.

No. 42.—Building—Number of New Houses and Flats Approved, Commenced and Completed.—Division of Cumberland and Rest of State.

Private and government, including owner-built houses, but excluding some new houses on farms and military huts converted into temporary dwellings.

Period.	Number of Dwelling Units.								
	Approved.*			Commenced.			Completed.		
	Houses.	Flats.	Houses and Flats.	Houses.	Flats.	Houses and Flats.	Houses.	Flats.	Houses and Flats.
DIVISION OF CUMBERLAND.									
Year—1947	16,805	1,137	17,942	11,294	596	11,890	7,906	322	8,228
1948	17,217	1,609	18,826	13,099	1,117	14,216	10,469	609	11,078
1949	18,923	1,326	20,249	12,867	1,176	14,043	11,276	841	12,117
1950	20,792	1,358	22,150	14,335	1,286	15,621	11,791	852	12,643
1951	18,382	1,310	19,692	14,728§	993	15,721§	11,522§	916	12,438§
1949—March Qr.	4,646	245	4,891	2,953	313	3,266	2,298	178	2,476
June Qr.	5,036	328	5,364	3,281	327	3,608	2,855	179	3,034
September Qr.	4,439	260	4,699	2,848	317	3,165	2,768	218	2,986
December Qr.	4,802	493	5,295	3,785	219	4,004	3,355	266	3,621
1950—March Qr.	5,434	442	5,876	3,866	191	4,057	2,531	197	2,728
June Qr.	5,012	391	5,403	2,984	498	3,482	2,878	192	3,070
September Qr.	5,449	190	5,639	3,921	241	4,162	2,848	194	3,042
December Qr.	4,897	335	5,232	3,564	356	3,920	3,534	269	3,803
1951—March Qr.	4,869	316	5,185	3,682	172	3,854	2,318	161	2,479
June Qr.	6,104	410	6,514	3,903§	288	4,191§	2,675§	228	2,903§
September Qr.	4,494	382	4,876	3,656§	229	3,885§	2,994§	265	3,259§
December Qr.	2,915	202	3,117	3,487§	304	3,791§	3,535§	262	3,797§
1952—March Qr.	2,477	47	2,524	3,064§	95	3,159§	3,487§	200	3,687§

REMAINDER OF N.S.W.†									
Year—1947	11,045	262	11,307	7,579	116	7,695	5,285	43	5,328
1948	11,968	189	12,157	7,967	214	8,181	6,783	180	6,963
1949	12,960	352	13,312	8,485	184	8,669	7,000	178	7,178
1950	14,137	511	14,648	8,841	273	9,114	7,528	117	7,645
1951	15,071	288	15,359	10,930§	262	11,192§	8,857§	204	9,061§
1949—March Qr.	3,131	65	3,196	1,865	9	1,874	1,471	3	1,474
June Qr.	3,306	108	3,414	2,180	53	2,233	1,742	38	1,780
September Qr.	3,145	83	3,228	2,350	56	2,406	1,889	66	1,955
December Qr.	3,378	96	3,474	2,090	66	2,156	1,898	71	1,969
1950—March Qr.	3,257	104	3,361	2,067	102	2,169	1,592	35	1,627
June Qr.	3,551	142	3,693	2,065	38	2,103	1,855	30	1,885
September Qr.	3,761	157	3,918	2,215	65	2,280	1,927	26	1,953
December Qr.	3,568	108	3,676	2,494	68	2,562	2,154	26	2,180
1951—March Qr.	3,638	87	3,725	2,484	81	2,565	2,099	32	2,131
June Qr.	4,018	81	4,099	2,899§	49	2,948§	2,216§	30	2,246§
September Qr.	4,572	78	4,650	2,711§	99	2,810§	2,036§	58	2,094§
December Qr.	2,843	42	2,885	2,836§	33	2,869§	2,506§	84	2,590§
1952—March Qr.	1,816	(—) 11‡	1,805	2,828§	52	2,880§	2,593§	43	2,636§

NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Year—1947	27,850	1,399	29,249	18,873	712	19,585	13,191	365	13,556
1948	29,185	1,798	30,983	21,066	1,331	22,397	17,252	789	18,041
1949	31,883	1,678	33,561	21,352	1,300	22,712	18,276	1,019	19,295
1950	34,929	1,869	36,798	23,176	1,559	24,735	19,319	969	20,288
1951	33,453	1,598	35,051	25,658§	1,255	26,913§	20,379§	1,120	21,499§
1949—March Qr.	7,777	310	8,087	4,818	322	5,140	3,769	181	3,950
June Qr.	8,342	436	8,778	5,461	380	5,841	4,597	217	4,814
September Qr.	7,584	343	7,927	5,198	373	5,571	4,657	284	4,941
December Qr.	8,180	589	8,769	5,875	285	6,160	5,253	337	5,590
1950—March Qr.	8,691	546	9,237	5,933	293	6,226	4,123	232	4,355
June Qr.	8,563	533	9,096	5,049	536	5,585	4,733	222	4,955
September Qr.	9,210	347	9,557	6,136	306	6,442	4,775	220	4,995
December Qr.	8,465	443	8,908	6,058	424	6,482	5,688	295	5,983
1951—March Qr.	8,507	403	8,910	6,166	253	6,419	4,417	193	4,610
June Qr.	10,122	491	10,613	6,802§	337	7,139§	4,891§	258	5,149§
September Qr.	9,066	400	9,526	6,367§	328	6,695§	5,030§	323	5,353§
December Qr.	5,758	244	6,002	6,323§	337	6,660§	6,041§	346	6,387§
1952—March Qr.	4,293	36	4,329	5,892§	147	6,039§	6,080§	243	6,323§

* Local Government permits to build plus contracts let and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities. † Includes Metropolis. ‡ (—) denotes excess of contracts cancelled over contracts let. § Preliminary.

No. 43.—Building—Number of New Houses and Flats Approved, Commenced and Completed in N.S.W.—Private and Government.

Including owner-built houses, but excluding some new houses on farms and military huts converted into temporary dwellings.

Period.	Houses and Flats—Number of Dwelling Units.								
	Approved.*			Commenced.			Completed.		
	Private.	Government.	Total.	Private.	Government.	Total.	Private.	Government.	Total.
Year—1947	25,733	3,516	29,249	16,007	3,578	19,585	11,085	2,471	13,556
1948	27,565	3,418	30,983	17,996	4,401	22,397	14,469	3,572	18,041
1949	29,398	4,163	33,561	18,663	4,049	22,712	15,501	3,794	19,295
1950	32,384	4,414	36,798	20,181	4,554	24,735	16,500	3,788	20,288
1951	29,297	5,754	35,051	22,068†	4,845	26,913†	17,042†	4,457	21,499†
1950—March Qr.	8,011	1,226	9,237	5,070	1,156	6,226	3,509	846	4,355
June Qr.	8,172	924	9,096	4,308	1,277	5,585	4,064	891	4,955
September Qr.	8,382	1,175	9,557	5,444	998	6,442	4,011	984	4,995
December Qr.	7,819	1,089	8,908	5,359	1,123	6,482	4,916	1,067	5,983
1951—March Qr.	7,951	959	8,910	5,480	939	6,419	3,799	811	4,610
June Qr.	8,588	2,025	10,613	5,850†	1,289	7,139†	4,059†	1,090	5,149†
September Qr.	7,370	2,156	9,526	5,456†	1,239	6,695†	4,383†	970	5,353†
December Qr.	5,388	614	6,002	5,282†	1,378	6,660†	4,801†	1,586	6,387†
1952—March Qr.	4,367	(—) 38†	4,329	5,077†	962	6,039†	5,157†	1,166	6,323†

* "Private approved"—local government permits to build. "Government approved"—contracts let and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities. † (—) denotes excess of contracts cancelled over contracts let. ‡ Preliminary.

No. 44.—Wholesale Trade—N.S.W.

Approximate Amount of Sales by Traders Registered under Sales Tax Acts.

Year ended 30th June.	Amount of Sales (Taxable and Exempt Goods).	Amount of Tax.	Month.	Amount of Sales (Taxable and Exempt Goods).				
				1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50	1950-51.	1951-52.
	£ million.	£ million.				£ million.		
1939... ..	192.3	4.0	July ...	27.8	35.3	36.2	50.6	69.4
1940... ..	204.3	5.3	Aug. ...	32.1	39.7	35.7	53.3	69.8
1941... ..	215.3	8.9	Sept. ...	32.0	39.1	41.0	57.6	76.0
1942... ..	235.2	11.7	Oct. ...	30.9	37.5	44.8	59.2	70.3
1943... ..	242.8	12.5	Nov. ...	32.7	39.4	40.1	46.1	57.7
1944... ..	240.3	12.1	Dec. ...	34.2	35.1	51.4	62.6	83.6
1945... ..	255.4	12.8						
1946... ..	264.8	14.6	Jan. ...	25.2	32.2	39.4	53.7	64.7
1947... ..	320.3	15.4	Feb. ...	30.3	39.6	49.1	51.4	66.8
1948... ..	382.5	15.1	Mar. ...	33.2	35.7	42.3	63.4	60.4
1949... ..	452.8	16.7	April ...	33.8	39.9	55.8	70.8	74.1
1950... ..	537.8	17.8	May ...	35.6	42.3	54.6	67.5	
1951... ..	704.6	25.3	June ...	34.7	37.0	47.4	68.4	

No. 45.—Retail Trade—Sales of Principal City Stores, Sydney.

(Source: Retail Traders' Association of New South Wales.)

Movement in Value of Net Sales.										
Period.	Piece Goods.		Women's Wear.	Men's and Boys' Wear.	Boots and Shoes.	Total Clothing and Piece Goods.	Furni- ture.	Hard- ware.	Total Sales *	
	House- hold.	Dress.								
Percentage increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with corresponding period of preceding year.										
Year—										
1946	+32	+16	+19	+23	+36	+25	+69	+68	+32	
1947	+31	+16	+13	+16	+9	+14	+43	+32	+19	
1948	+21	+5	+10	+19	+17	+15	+24	+29	+16	
1949	+2	+1	+6	+14	+7	+7	+5	+10	+7	
1950	+28	—1	+13	+18	+17	+15	+25	+21	+17	
1951	+17	+23	+20	+22	+25	+22	+23	+32	+23	
1951—										
January	+86	+35	+35	+57	+39	+45	+39	+48	+41	
February	+64	+26	+19	+32	+38	+31	+26	+38	+28	
March	+50	+18	+15	+34	+37	+26	+28	+28	+25	
April	+76	+58	+42	+45	+41	+46	+57	+61	+48	
May	+40	+24	+12	+17	+28	+19	+29	+33	+23	
June	+65	+32	+20	+34	+32	+30	+35	+37	+30	
July	+44	+35	+45	+38	+42	+42	+48	+53	+42	
August	+38	+9	+14	+13	+14	+6	+26	+31	+14	
September	+32	—3	+11	—5	+10	+1	+3	+17	+5	
October	+4	+26	+28	+22	+24	+23	+15	+36	+23	
November	—5	+45	+18	+15	+19	+17	—2	+18	+13	
December	+14	+14	+6	+2	+7	+5	+10	+15	+5	
1952—										
January	+34	+8	+4	—9	+12	—2	+15	+5	+2	
February	+21	+20	+15	—9	+1	+3	—9	+7	+2	
March	+17	—9	+12	+23	+14	+15	+17	+4	+11	

* Foregoing items plus all other goods sold by these stores.

No. 46.—Port of Sydney—Items of Interstate Imports and Exports.

(Source—Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)

Item.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		March Quarter.	
		1950.	1951.	1951.	1952.	1951.	1952.
Interstate Imports—							
Butter	tons	1,283	1,106	192	1,534	6	695
Cheese	tons	738	323	283	236	29	126
Milk and Cream, Preserved	40 cub. ft.	6,636	4,786	3,791	4,818	1,016	2,696
Barley	tons	10,328	15,564	5,308	6,658	3,186	1,628
Maize	tons	4	14	3	1,207	3	847
Flour	tons	1,188	1,636	1,276	1,046	482	417
Peas and Beans	tons	2,113	2,489	1,606	3,292	1,240	1,593
Potatoes	tons	56,208	46,538	28,932	34,329	12,209	15,052
Fruit—Fresh	40 cub. ft.	10,929	26,257	12,811	8,604	307	521
Preserved, etc.	40 cub. ft.	12,451	13,730	9,286	12,486	2,574	2,528
Sugar	tons	156,308	163,209	110,186	126,208	36,730	47,940
Molasses	tons	16,806	24,938	18,267	19,878	6,038	8,703
Jams	40 cub. ft.	3,950	3,048	2,480	1,136	916	424
Confectionery	40 cub. ft.	8,171	6,338	4,467	3,451	1,044	957
Ale and Beer	40 cub. ft.	1,747	860	729	968	111	343
Wines	40 cub. ft.	5,326	2,837	1,944	1,955	607	554
Spirits	40 cub. ft.	5,935	4,450	3,192	3,135	799	661
Tallow	40 cub. ft.	28,536	25,515	17,953	14,430	5,151	1,767
Hides and Skins	40 cub. ft.	6,455	8,253	6,361	5,163	1,736	1,235
Wool	bales	32,175	30,898	18,830	17,525	5,060	5,590
Iron, Pig	tons	27,009	34,588	31,937	37,295	5,810	16,076
Lead	tons	25,213	22,841	17,230	24,595	7,576	8,759
Motor Vehicles and Parts...	40 cub. ft.	72,316	92,832	65,475	61,495	18,436	16,665
Newsprint	tons	14,416	11,363	8,987	8,427	2,663	3,050
Timber, Undressed	thou. sup. ft.	12,628	12,779	10,515	12,906	2,980	2,520
All other Items	tons	390,802	338,554	242,698	263,602	75,012	75,516
Interstate Exports—							
Margarine	tons	3,751	3,322	2,162	2,139	379	572
Meats, Preserved	40 cub. ft.	407	644	315	201	92	102
Wheat	tons	5,343	1,448	1,448	4	4	4
Flour	tons	736	1,822	1,686	290	971	138
Hides and Skins	40 cub. ft.	2,776	2,280	1,755	1,307	490	485
Wool	bales	85,542	45,340	41,518	7,763	9,818	1,915
Coke	tons	13,212	7,818	6,257	7,703	20	4,979
Timber, Undressed	thou. sup. ft.	348	2,126	2,101	272	83	13
Cement	tons	14,543	12,819	12,600	568	372	153
Tin	tons	489	439	413	228	31	41
All other Items	tons	495,783	485,820	360,917	381,324	110,985	115,957

Note.—One ton = 2,240 lb., except in the case of "All other Items," for which tons weight and tons measurement (1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet) are combined. "All other Items" includes transshipments.

No. 47.—Port of Newcastle—Items of Interstate Imports and Exports.

(Source—Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)

Item.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		March Quarter.	
		1950	1951.	1951.	1952.	1951.	1952.
Interstate Imports—							
Ironstone	tons	1,148,585	1,335,921	1,016,746	1,059,978	377,854	354,053
Iron and Steel, Scrap	tons	10,361	7,506	5,565	6,940	1,590	1,131
Ore Products, Crude Manfrs.	tons	13,494	42,553	31,062	42,812	6,430	17,237
Salt, Crude and Fine	tons	4,725	7,594	4,329	5,266	1,293	837
Zinc Slabs	tons	20,162	16,257	11,255	11,356	3,555	3,837
Timber	super ft.	332,640	168,480	101,280	158,400	...	...
All other Items	tons	24,672	24,394	15,781	23,712	5,158	12,775
Interstate Exports—							
Coal—Bunker	tons	210,570	209,009	151,199	175,426	44,558	62,420
Cargo	tons	1,896,474	1,739,560	1,249,302	1,706,701	253,471	511,914
Coke	tons	59,725	31,809	28,780	24,979	2,679	5,769
Calcare Ore... ..	tons	21,176	16,411	13,833	19,537	7,474	9,820
Iron and Steel Products—							
Corrugated and Sheet Iron	tons	59,752	61,065	45,165	35,454	12,671	9,139
Pipes and Tubes	tons	65,368	59,837	42,857	28,231	9,174	8,014
Wire	tons	42,409	58,339	41,907	42,232	14,588	16,678
Other	tons	118,124	131,911	97,482	104,533	36,123	39,011
Benzol Products	40 cub. ft.	9,477	7,703	5,060	6,421	229	2,779
Building Board	40 cub. ft.	5,216	4,442	3,214	2,639	461	731
Tar	tons	1,009	863	667	530	175	144
Timber	super ft.	932,160	186,240	140,141	178,089	84,480	57,129
Wheels and Axles	tons	1,274	2,292	2,061	206	462	70
Wool	bales	5,488	143	143	75	5	55
All other Items	tons	21,284	9,053	5,735	6,399	1,296	2,200

See Note under Table 46.

No. 48.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Summary.

Values are in Australian currency f.o.b. at port of shipment.

Period.	Imports.			Exports.							
	Merchan- dise.	Bullion and Specie.	Total.	Merchandise.			Bullion and Specie.	Total.			
				Aus- tralian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.					
Year ended 30th June—				£A. thousand.							
1939	49,907	2,991	52,898	36,320	1,367	37,687	8,216	45,903			
1945	112,814	2,588	115,402	58,211	2,616	60,827	10	60,837			
1946	86,076	1,638	87,714	73,530	2,860	76,390	451	76,841			
1947	93,030	991	94,021	113,043	3,476	116,519	61	116,580			
1948	150,353	1,564	151,917	131,655	3,007	134,662	88	134,750			
1949	177,211	908	178,119	173,195	3,414	176,609	145	176,754			
1950	214,030	587	214,617	213,451	3,075	216,526	65	216,591			
1951	301,702	2,274	303,976	321,878	3,695	325,573	64	325,637			
1949-50—September Qr.				46,545	159	46,704	38,318	712	39,030	27	39,057
December Qr.				47,250	116	47,366	51,181	664	51,845	8	51,853
March Qr.				58,926	9	58,935	67,243	700	67,943	1	67,944
June Qr.				61,309	303	61,612	56,709	999	57,708	29	57,737
1950-51—September Qr.				71,234	1,115	72,349	41,343	917	42,260	17	42,277
December Qr.				61,819	350	62,169	90,241	1,036	91,277	10	91,287
March Qr.				76,309	212	76,521	94,255	866	95,121	27	95,148
June Qr.				92,340	597	92,937	96,038	877	96,915	10	96,925
1951-52—September Qr.*				102,355	148	102,503	39,711	1,129	40,840	37	40,877
December Qr.*				114,723	387	115,110	56,616	1,129	57,745	16	57,761
March Qr.*				121,119	412	121,531	55,723	2,215	57,938	3,484	61,422

*Subject to revision.

No. 49.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales—By Countries.

Country.	Imports of Merchandise. (Country of Origin.)				Exports of Merchandise.			
	Nine Months ended 31st March.		Quarter ended 31st March.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
£A. thousand.								
United Kingdom	98,692	138,874	35,603	48,794	63,455	36,643	22,542	13,019
Canada	5,462	9,047	1,765	3,724	1,073	821	401	191
Ceylon	3,649	4,594	1,115	930	2,236	1,073	733	197
India and Pakistan	12,450	14,438	5,335	4,369	4,431	2,688	888	1,040
Hong Kong	660	1,003	237	148	1,638	1,235	624	430
Malaya and Singapore	6,691	8,061	2,802	2,172	3,609	3,586	1,295	1,185
New Guinea and Papua	1,710	2,379	632	947	3,704	4,759	1,217	1,909
New Zealand	1,723	2,811	529	587	8,228	12,427	2,355	3,886
Union of South Africa	1,127	1,253	317	378	597	693	287	147
Other British Countries	7,591	10,304	2,228	3,240	5,613	5,779	2,133	1,591
Total British Countries	139,755	192,764	50,563	65,289	94,584	69,704	32,475	23,595
Belgium	2,900	8,720	1,282	2,892	18,615	7,523	5,303	2,463
France	4,299	7,301	1,571	2,238	25,026	16,979	9,685	6,555
Germany	4,405	11,174	1,444	3,870	11,027	5,108	4,442	1,720
Italy	4,544	10,081	1,561	2,835	14,878	10,592	9,203	5,482
Netherlands	2,426	5,593	727	2,103	2,049	822	664	305
Sweden	4,202	8,497	2,034	4,456	1,966	966	388	564
Switzerland	1,131	2,459	586	802	680	558	228	202
Arabia	3,355	5,204	1,084	2,204	443	406	122	111
Persia	2,926	525	885	91	215	63	52	...
Egypt	334	641	138	85	2,913	972	631	56
China	1,070	1,310	361	228	126	110	38	13
Japan	3,567	12,647	1,051	3,384	16,870	18,283	9,099	7,856
Indonesia	4,050	5,089	1,809	1,595	800	844	265	342
U.S.A.	17,157	33,462	6,488	16,220	25,898	15,756	15,856	5,922
Other Foreign Countries	9,298	26,463	3,221	10,536	12,568	7,837	6,670	2,750
Total Foreign Countries	65,724	139,226	24,242	53,539	134,074	86,819	62,646	34,343
Country Not Disclosed	215	127	178	49	...	...	...	...
Outside Packages	3,669	6,080	1,326	2,242	...	...	...	...
Total Merchandise, All Countries	209,363	338,197	76,309	121,119	228,658	156,523	95,121	57,938
Bullion and Specie (excluded above)	1,677	947	213	412	53	3,537	27	3,484

* Subject to revision.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 50.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales—Principal Items.

Article Imported.				Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
				Quantity.		Value.		Quantity		Value.	
				1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
				£A.thousand.							
Fish—											
In tins	thous. lb.	6,007	8,281	757	1,192	2,976	3,129	385	380		
Other ... ..	...	...	...	521	766	...	...	147	291		
Nuts, Edible	thous. lb.	5,450	5,455	627	555	...	...	338	113		
Dates ... ..	...	...	...	114	123	5,450	4,585	114	102		
Spices ... ..	...	...	...	335	345	...	...	110	38		
Tea	thous. lb.	22,262	20,592	5,045	4,098	7,532	5,566	1,766	1,124		
Coffee	"	1,872	1,763	337	366	547	255	105	53		
Cocoa, Cocoa Beans, etc.	"	4,597	6,814	1,006	1,205	1,152	4,077	276	625		
Whisky	pf. gal.	226,977	245,108	411	566	76,312	78,136	137	180		
Tobacco	thous. lb.	11,917	12,779	3,483	4,137	5,775	7,588	1,693	2,421		
Cigarettes and Cigars ...	"	3,366	5,759	2,540	3,598	961	1,696	870	1,097		
Hides and Skins—											
Cattle and Calf	thous.	36	72	76	163	8	39	18	42		
Goat	"	566	693	353	500	127	134	80	89		
Other Hides and Skins ...	...	...	...	74	121	...	...	12	15		
Linseed	thous. lb.	18,881	...	610	...	...	...	...	...
Linseed Oil	thous. gal.	1,041	2,915	675	2,354	...	...	100	298		
Copra	cwt.	324,225	490,553	944	1,519	105,167	244,480	328	617		
Cotton, Raw	thous. lb.	14,018	18,148	2,587	4,362	4,232	10,049	991	1,986		
Gums and Resins ... ..	...	...	...	636	1,039	...	...	233	3966		
Plastic Materials ... ..	...	...	...	962	1,557	...	...	357	44		
Yarns—											
Cotton	thous. lb.	2,394	3,362	946	1,766	12,12	836	455	453		
Rayon	"	7,719	8,287	2,411	3,262	2,328	2,204	838	908		
Other Yarns ... ..	...	...	...	297	372	...	...	108	97		
Sewing Cottons and Threads	thous. lb.	410	597	435	751	121	231	137	29		
Bags and Sacks—											
Corn and Flour	thous. doz.	1,371	1,099	2,737	3,687	712	409	1,482	1,333		
Woolpacks	doz.	148,536	119,922	647	1,636	117,900	64,259	353	963		
Other Bags and Sacks ...	...	...	...	64	676	...	...	63	21		
Piece Goods—											
Knitted or Lockstitched ...	lb.	565,620	664,541	383	526	214,350	137,906	138	15		
Not Knitted or Lockstitched—											
Cotton and Linen	thous. sq. yds.	73,687	117,212	10,978	25,036	26,354	29,591	4,125	6,820		
Rayon ... ..	...	22,325	30,752	5,167	8,225	5,332	8,187	1,305	2,223		
Silk	"	623	499	268	300	136	103	82	72		
Woolen	"	2,175	1,935	1,150	1,370	997	698	466	401		
Hessian and Jute Pieces ...	"	15,905	22,265	1,152	2,500	5,802	5,095	452	599		
Canvas and Duck	"	4,094	4,944	883	1,712	1,631	1,518	351	516		
Other	"	471	776	84	244	154	206	33	4		
Furnishing, Technical and Treated											
Fabrics and Felts ... ..	...	...	...	1,712	2,941	...	...	747	1,006		
Cord and Tyre Fabric ... ..	...	...	...	1,276	1,969	...	...	502	682		
Total, Piece Goods ... ..	...	...	...	23,053	44,823	...	...	8,201	12,52		
Towels and Towelling ... ..	...	...	...	369	1,062	...	...	135	31		
Handkerchiefs	doz.	596,660	609,522	300	332	112,192	162,381	63	82		
Trimmings and Ornaments ...	...	...	...	992	1,553	...	...	335	516		
Floor Coverings—											
Linoleum	thous. sq. yds.	3,207	4,849	640	1,172	1,011	1,428	197	372		
Carpets	"	2,074	2,263	3,007	4,035	721	695	1,160	1,119		
Mats ... ..	"	...	...	96	159	...	...	28	52		
Petroleum Oils—											
Petroleum, Crude	thous. gal.	51,243	63,452	1,470	1,730	19,302	22,455	661	525		
Petroleum and Shale Spirit ...	"	107,219	128,932	5,941	7,459	37,761	48,275	2,156	2,915		
Kerosene (Power and											
Other)	"	23,763	24,240	1,108	1,187	8,383	8,097	402	403		
Residual	"	67,250	65,253	2,031	2,369	39,920	17,430	1,004	593		
Lubricating	"	8,538	11,780	1,152	2,169	3,270	4,723	478	921		
Other ... ..	"	...	...	3,511	4,745	...	...	677	1,787		
Total, Petroleum Oils ... ..	...	...	...	15,213	19,659	...	...	5,378	7,144		
Colour Pigments for Paints ...	...	...	...	832	1,372	...	...	244	517		
Asbestos, Crude and Fibre ...	cwt.	211,591	193,823	571	434	55,569	89,534	163	101		
Iron and Steel—											
Plate and Sheet	ton	89,618	91,493	5,701	9,207	31,855	26,223	2,066	2,814		
Other ... ..	...	99,579	83,037	3,957	5,733	34,638	32,062	1,381	2,725		
Aluminium	cwt.	120,119	167,645	1,021	1,799	19,967	12,214	225	201		
Copper—Pigs, Ingots etc ...	...	232,974	346,928	2,178	4,764	35,937	141,343	387	1,995		
Cutlery ... ..	...	...	...	741	1,187	...	...	233	414		
Hand Tools ... ..	...	...	...	1,033	1,630	...	...	358	624		
Aircraft and Parts ... ..	...	...	...	537	1,262	...	...	189	154		
Motor Cars, Trucks and Buses—											
Bodies	No.	23,421	25,533	3,769	4,458	8,719	8,877	1,422	1,584		
Chassis	"	47,907	53,541	13,082	14,901	16,940	18,022	4,474	5,041		
Parts and Accessories ... ..	...	...	...	4,926	8,008	...	...	1,724	2,769		

* Subject to revision.

No. 50.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales—Principal Items—*continued.*

Article Imported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
			£A. thousand.				£A. thousand.	
Motor Cycles and Parts ... ..	...	...	680	984	...	...	226	337
Tractors and Parts ... ..	...	...	4,086	4,970	...	...	1,485	2,018
Electrical Equipment—								
Cable and Wire cwt.	118,387	67,191	1,652	1,075	68,401	24,674	884	427
Radio Equipment ... ..	...	...	364	538	...	...	116	206
Telephone and Telegraph Equipment	...	...	2,303	1,483	...	...	606	549
Heating and Cooking Appliances	...	...	248	556	...	...	103	242
Electric Motors ... ..	...	...	703	1,217	...	...	264	609
Vacuum Cleaners ... ..	...	...	270	677	...	...	126	208
Adding Machines, Typewriters, etc.	...	...	1,821	2,447	...	...	746	934
Textile Industries Machinery ...	...	...	1,583	2,235	...	...	559	825
Metal-working Machinery ... ..	...	...	1,838	2,907	...	...	534	1,332
Crude Rubber cwt.	259,419	322,536	5,448	7,007	83,412	101,662	2,269	1,968
Other Rubber incl. manufactures ...	...	...	935	1,502	...	...	393	512
Timber—								
Undressed thous. sup. ft.	126,457	133,420	4,126	6,393	55,207	51,575	1,892	2,580
Other ... ..	...	...	1,034	2,153	...	...	516	947
Crockery ... ..	...	...	978	1,323	...	...	336	532
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	...	1,179	2,015	...	...	348	763
Wood Pulp for Paper ton	9,332	15,419	532	2,142	5,638	9,594	372	1,362
Printing Paper	58,746	146,227	3,115	11,338	16,870	13,668	1,044	4,622
Writing and Typewriting Paper	98,001	193,432	536	2,049	54,414	101,493	294	952
Wrapping Paper ... ..	...	...	1,372	4,043	...	...	580	1,704
Books, Printed ... ..	...	...	934	1,300	...	...	286	455
Fountain Pens and Pencils ... ..	...	...	263	269	...	...	56	51
Toys ... ..	...	...	674	803	...	...	106	69
Combs, Toilet ... ..	...	...	28	37	...	...	8	9
Jewellery ... ..	...	...	917	795	...	...	268	161
Timepieces ... ..	...	...	916	1,472	...	...	340	404
Cinematograph Films	...	...	697	919	...	...	228	372
Surgical, Dental and Veterinary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Instruments ... ..	...	...	933	1,393	...	...	366	516
Drugs, Chemicals and Fertilizers—								
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations ...	...	...	1,770	2,758	...	...	720	973
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	...	...	280	420	...	...	83	120
Fertilizers ... ..	...	...	213	288	...	...	52	102
Dyes ... ..	...	...	278	475	...	...	102	161
Other (Salts of Acids, etc.) ... ..	...	...	3,220	6,580	...	...	1,151	2,262
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives ...	...	...	879	49,73	...	...	509	3,395
Total, Merchandise ... ..	...	...	209,363	338,197	...	...	76,309	121,119
Bullion and Specie—								
Gold fine oz.	106,645	58,511	1,652	907	13,471	25,185	209	390
Silver and Bronze ... ..	...	...	25	40	...	...	4	22
Total, Imports Oversea ... ..	...	...	211,040	339,144	...	...	76,522	121,531

* Subject to revision.

No. 51.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian Produce.

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
Meats—			£A. thousand				£A. thousand.	
Preserved by Cold Process—								
Beef and Veal ... thous. lb.	1,872	2,180	146	229	510	982	43	108
Lamb " "	2,409	898	150	68	255	374	17	29
Mutton " "	2,947	794	98	42	383	231	17	11
Pork " "	853	409	89	59	408	36	43	7
Offals " "	4,078	4,627	191	242	1,177	1,293	66	75
Poultry thous. pairs	441	830	727	1,100	153	308	171	316
Rabbits and Hares " "	625	4,036	153	1,128	344	836	94	277
Bacon and Hams thous. lb.	1,153	993	170	229	314	239	44	52
Preserved in Tins " "	19,052	12,343	991	1,843	2,964	4,299	394	639
Other Meats ... .. " "	...	...	196	355	...	...	59	175
<i>Total, Meats</i> ... ..	...	...	2,911	5,295	...	...	948	1,689

* Subject to revision.

No. 51.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian
Produce—continued.

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
Butter thous. lb.	4,765	562	£A.thousand.				£A.thousand.	
Milk and Cream—			763	130	1,624	190	277	45
Preserved, Condensed, etc. " "	1,552	1,737	89	119	645	984	37	67
Dried, Powdered and Malted " "	6,602	3,118	463	360	3,618	969	239	141
Cheese " "	740	808	88	111	228	231	27	31
Infants' and Invalids' Food " "	5,025	5,114	474	723	1,257	1,981	133	267
Eggs—								
In Shell thous. doz.	3,741	6,394	517	1,056	143	412	27	80
Not in Shell " lb.	8,079	5,290	832	608	582	1,407	59	165
Wheat thous. bushels	12,224	3,699	10,513	3,250	989	3	849	5
Flour thous. lb.	507,240	394,655	9,265	8,147	185,992	89,056	3,285	2,039
Total Wheat and Flour as thous. bushels of wheat ...	23,967	12,836	19,778	11,397	5,295	2,065	4,144	2,044
Rice ... .. " "	...	...	943	1,295	...	...	246	452
Biscuits thous. lb.	1,731	1,692	89	105	500	568	25	36
Vegetables—								
Fresh " "	3,951	2,423	71	78	810	851	19	26
Dried—								
Potatoes " "	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other cwt.	5	20	...	...	...	10	...	...
Preserved in Liquid thous. lb.	1,772	2,272	107	148	694	575	49	40
Fruits—								
Fresh ... .. " "	...	...	339	358	...	...	20	32
Dried thous. lb.	9,962	5,605	479	404	430	318	30	26
Preserved in Liquid—								
Peaches thous. lb.	5,214	5,815	217	313	53	774	2	45
Other thous. lb.	3,776	3,742	249	244	545	1,554	63	104
Jams and Jellies " "	3,287	2,036	159	111	686	392	33	23
Sugar, Refined ton	4,250	5,929	213	234	1,404	1,398	67	87
Confectionery thous. lb.	10,575	7,948	738	637	2,964	2,331	178	184
Aerated and Mineral Waters ...	...	...	7	9	...	...	2	4
Bran, Pollard and Sharps thous. lb.	14,543	13,528	236	268	6,704	3,852	99	78
Spiritous and Alcoholic Liquors ...	...	...	143	153	...	...	33	56
Tobacco, Cigarettes and Cigars ...	...	...	142	224	...	...	55	77
Hides and Skins—								
Kangaroo thous. lb.	372	251	165	111	65	136	29	52
Rabbit and Hare " "	5,474	2,958	1,282	732	921	215	175	40
Cattle and Calf " No.	75,308	56,151	550	357	15	9	117	58
Sheep and Lamb—								
With Wool thous.	2,028	2,352	3,596	3,257	657	1,058	1,450	1,163
Without Wool ... .. " "	...	...	154	53	...	...	61	9
Wool—								
Greasy thous. lb.	269,686	225,193	145,132	81,024	105,466	99,638	71,581	35,220
Scoured and Carbonised " "	34,152	15,816	19,473	8,098	7,760	5,888	6,126	2,603
Other " "	3,442	3,773	1,737	1,521	970	1,730	674	532
Total, Wool—000 lb. as in the grease	351,100	267,600	166,342	90,643	124,400	116,200	78,331	38,355
Woollen Yarns thous. lb.	96	200	95	331	18	8	20	12
Textiles—								
Blankets and Blanketing ... ..	...	...	21	36	...	...	7	16
Piece Goods—								
Woollen thous. sq. yds.	73	75	61	97	18	12	13	17
Cotton " "	640	691	124	156	382	301	67	43
Apparel—								
Socks and Stockings doz. pr.	3,615	4,562	9	13	787	451	2	1
Garments—								
Knitted ... .. " "	...	...	58	80	...	...	18	18
Not Knitted ... .. " "	...	...	64	85	...	...	14	36
Other Apparel ... .. " "	...	...	21	50	...	...	9	23
Tallow ton	3,499	1,884	396	228	269	353	32	53
Colour Pigments for Paints ... ..	...	...	224	280	...	...	55	81
Silver-lead Concentrates ton	10,655	13,629	620	976	3,704	1,447	255	115
Zinc Concentrates " "	18,749	22,791	958	1,270	4,589	8,949	232	529
Metals—								
Iron and Steel—								
Ingots and Slabs ton	1,764	586	29	15	1,511	519	25	13
Bar and Rod " "	9,326	1,620	206	60	3,332	771	75	24
Plate and Sheet " "	6,362	5,510	333	389	2,263	2,464	119	180
Pipes, Tubes and Fittings ...	14,138	4,884	460	383	10,109	2,818	227	231
Girders, Joists " "	1,039	9,479	26	265	252	2,502	9	80
Other " "	3,493	2,984	100	106	1,574	1,518	42	51
Total, Iron and Steel	36,122	25,063	1,154	1,218	19,032	10,592	497	579
Zinc and Spelter " "	2,146	2,000	445	658	490	786	121	267
Lead " "	21,872	25,285	2,713	5,152	1,830	5,926	302	1,235

* Subject to revision.

No. 51.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian Produce—continued.

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	1951.	1952.	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*	1951.	1952.*
			£A.thousand.				£A.thousand.	
Hand Tools	115	176	...	...	37	49
Railway and Tramway Vehicles	24	51	...	...	3	2
Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances	744	925	...	...	201	301
Motive Power Machinery	355	415	...	...	122	91
Agricultural and Dairy Farm Machinery	187	412	...	...	58	208
Mining and Road-making Machinery	335	212	...	...	144	58
Metal-working Machinery	148	200	...	...	32	99
Refrigerating Appliances and Parts	233	244	...	...	59	67
Rubber Tyres and Tubes	80	103	...	...	31	55
Other Manufactures of Rubber	49	107	...	...	21	29
Leather and Manufactures	621	522	...	...	229	104
Timber, Undressed thous. sup. ft.	13,765	14,784	604	883	5,391	6,775	239	465
Cement ton	13,539	1,563	93	14	690	375	4	3
Glass and Glassware	292	493	...	...	81	91
Books, Printed	379	681	...	...	109	258
Sporting Goods and Toys	121	114	...	...	22	26
Drugs and Chemicals—
Patent and Proprietary Medicines	251	376	...	...	57	113
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	101	154	...	...	39	43
Soap	105	179	...	...	46	35
Insecticides and Disinfectants	85	59	...	...	38	30
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives	1,481	1,370	...	...	366	43
All Merchandise—
Australian Produce	225,839	152,050	...	...	94,255	55,723
Other Produce	2,819	4,473	...	...	866	2,215
Total Merchandise	228,658	156,523	...	...	95,121	57,938
Total Bullion and Specie—
Gold fine oz.	19	159,545	...	2,728	...	159,545	...	2,728
Silver and Bronze	53	809	...	...	27	756
Total, Exports Oversea	228,711	160,060	...	...	95,148	61,422

* Subject to revision.

No. 52.—Shipping, Oversea and Interstate—New South Wales.

Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician from records of the Department of Trade and Customs. The statistics are exclusive of war vessels, cable laying vessels, yachts and vessels engaged only in intrastate trade, and, during the war period, vessels engaged exclusively in the transport of troops, war equipment and supplies.

Year ended 30th June.	Vessels Entered.		Cargoes Discharged.				Cargoes Shipped.			
	No.	Net Tonnage.	Oversea.		Interstate.		Oversea.		Interstate.	
			Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.
			thousand tons.							
1939 ...	3,319	11,241,842	1,179	1,112	3,167	676	1,679	359	2,736	672
1941 ...	2,706	7,778,044	1,163	665	2,950	722	1,543	494	3,686	693
1942 ...	2,392	6,476,398	1,358	749	2,926	699	1,090	559	3,694	654
1943 ...	1,783	4,461,578	1,240	753	2,590	561	995	706	3,596	515
1944 ...	1,783	4,662,457	1,384	931	2,777	638	1,073	985	3,360	475
1945 ...	1,800	5,078,645	1,620	1,075	2,817	668	972	710	3,298	420
1946 ...	1,761	5,527,830	1,624	1,001	2,154	442	930	631	2,831	316
1947 ...	1,821	6,058,108	1,409	653	2,867	322	1,205	573	3,119	275
1948 ...	1,948	6,486,841	1,563	938	2,740	368	1,493	424	3,242	352
1949 ...	2,157	7,943,576	1,737	1,112	2,336	344	1,866	422	3,089	347
1950 ...	2,242	8,757,480	2,254	1,311	2,694	282	1,576	424	2,791	306
1951 ...	2,203	8,596,031	2,706	1,497	3,100	342	1,173	421	2,778	332

One ton measurement = 40 cubic feet.

No. 53.—Shipping at Principal Ports of New South Wales.

Oversea, Interstate and Intrastate.

Compiled by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales. Vessels engaged in the transport of troops, war equipment and supplies are included, warships are excluded.

Period.	Sydney.				Newcastle.				Port Kembla.			
	Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.		Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.		Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.	
	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.
Year ended 30th June—		thous.		thous. tons.		thous		thous. tons.		thous.		thous. tons.
1939 ...	7,384	11,650	5,128	2,567	4,273	5,099	2,086	4,574	850	1,225	1,045	747
1946 ...	3,671	6,286	5,398	2,600	2,307	2,957	1,285	4,231	299	606	674	379
1947 ...	3,628	5,837	4,875	2,605	2,399	3,293	1,695	4,628	361	927	895	538
1948 ...	3,750	6,225	5,315	2,372	2,320	3,430	1,678	4,720	351	928	885	579
1949 ...	4,142	7,590	5,350	2,812	2,367	3,411	1,470	4,701	335	730	924	510
1950 ...	3,927	8,149	5,658	2,637	2,119	3,190	1,598	4,164	403	971	1,081	434
1951 ...	4,038	8,222	6,524	2,195	2,179	2,958	1,824	3,894	538	1,582	1,499	527
Nine Months ended Mar.—												
1951 ...	3,072	6,268	4,785	1,721	1,634	2,237	1,358	2,855	404	1,175	1,081	406
1952 ...	3,027	6,241	5,377	1,416	1,721	2,454	1,476	3,365	397	1,256	1,161	518

No. 54.—Air Transport—Regular Services, New South Wales.

These statistics, compiled by the Department of Civil Aviation, relate to regular services with terminal in New South Wales (excluding one oversea service). Where a journey extends over more than one of these services, particulars of passengers, freight and mail carried are duplicated in the statistics.

Period.	Hours Flown.	Miles Flown.	Passengers.	Passenger Miles.	Freight.		Mail.	
					Tons (Gross).	Ton Miles.	Tons (Gross).	Ton Miles.
		thous.		thous.		thous.		thous.
OVERSEA SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	3,786	605	6,489	8,673	32	43	108	178
1946 ...	22,645	4,265	16,551	34,305	152	406	564	2,033
1947 ...	32,633	5,921	32,057	77,029	349	978	465	2,112
1948 ...	38,354	7,200	42,248	122,783	623	2,238	584	3,093
1949 ...	38,078	7,485	44,914	140,078	762	2,796	570	3,297
1950 ...	37,868	8,017	58,158	156,749	1,106	3,937	645	3,420
1951 ...	46,082	9,740	88,238	233,798	1,949	6,113	835	4,756
Sept Qr.—								
1950 ...	11,424	2,425	17,819	53,449	436	1,555	193	1,073
1951 ...	11,633	2,460	22,384	63,917	592	1,627	240	1,323
INTERSTATE SERVICES.*								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	33,490	4,680	133,982	59,821	1,196	547	1,911	967
1946 ...	42,601	6,160	198,113	84,752	2,238	988	961	441
1947 ...	56,872	8,986	397,795	171,231	5,664	2,507	992	221
1948 ...	79,180	12,783	570,004	241,845	10,655	4,833	489	220
1949 ...	86,857	14,217	669,137	277,122	14,301	6,482	622	281
1950 ...	83,270	14,314	697,783	292,838	19,403	8,913	1,429	653
1951 ...	92,595	15,644	763,680	322,138	21,296	10,274	1,002	458
Sept Qr.—								
1950 ...	21,425	3,737	170,215	71,305	5,995	2,748	192	88
1951 ...	23,164	4,102	191,166	80,580	5,485	2,735	194	91
INTRASTATE SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	1,817	154	4,019	860	4	1	1	...
1946 ...	2,558	244	7,602	1,307	24	5	1	...
1947 ...	7,086	886	54,046	10,176	351	75	7	1
1948 ...	13,061	1,673	95,599	18,933	465	98	7	1
1949 ...	15,108	2,051	120,297	23,487	619	126	13	2
1950 ...	17,806	2,520	153,474	29,343	1,330	283	21	4
1951 ...	17,517	2,537	174,054	32,432	1,544	362	21	4
Sept Qr.—								
1950 ...	4,415	657	36,829	7,077	452	109	5	1
1951 ...	4,541	672	45,646	8,773	336	82	4	1
TOTAL—ALL SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	39,093	5,439	144,490	69,354	1,232	591	2,020	1,145
1946 ...	67,804	10,669	222,266	120,364	2,414	1,399	1,526	2,474
1947 ...	96,591	15,794	483,898	258,436	6,364	3,560	964	2,334
1948 ...	130,595	21,656	707,851	383,561	11,743	7,168	1,080	3,314
1949 ...	140,043	23,753	834,348	440,687	15,682	9,404	1,205	3,580
1950 ...	138,944	24,851	909,415	478,930	21,899	13,133	2,095	4,078
1951 ...	156,104	27,921	1,025,972	588,368	24,789	16,749	1,858	5,218
Sept Qr.—								
1950 ...	37,264	6,819	224,863	131,831	6,883	4,412	390	1,162
1951 ...	39,338	7,234	259,196	153,270	6,413	4,444	438	1,415

* Includes a proportion of intrastate traffic.

No. 55.—State Railways of New South Wales—Finances and Traffic—Annually.

Year ended 30th June.	Capital Cost at 30th June.	Earnings. †	Working Expenses.		Capital Charges.		Total Expenditure.	Surplus or Deficit (—).	Passenger Journeys.	Goods Carried (excluding Live-stock).
			Ordinary.	Special Charges.	Interest, Exchange, etc.	Sinking Fund.				
					£ thousand.				mill.	mill. tons.
1939...	147,718	19,146	14,127	165	6,079	747	21,118	(—) 1,172	186·7	14·7
1946...	154,976	31,313	24,687	...	5,981	1,295	31,963	150	267·4	15·9
1947...	157,231	30,353	25,377	...	5,854	1,480	32,711	(—) 1,558	261·6	16·5
1948...	165,839	36,906	30,448	...	5,816	1,330	37,594	112	263·0	17·4
1949...	173,100	39,663	35,366	...	5,613	1,400	42,379	(—) 1,916	263·1	16·9
1950...	181,724	40,122†	38,707	165	5,995	1,550	46,417	(—) 2,495	258·2	15·9
1951...	195,852	49,448	48,805	...	6,250	1,610	56,665	(—) 6,417	268·6	17·1

* Length of lines open at 30th June, 1951, 6,112½ miles. † Excluding annual grant of £800,000 from the Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on developmental railways. ‡ Earnings exclude a special grant of £3m. by the Commonwealth Government towards losses due to an industrial dispute in coal mines, June to August, 1949.

No. 56.—State Railways of New South Wales—Finances and Traffic—Quarterly.

Quarter ended.	Earnings.	Working Expenses.*	Passenger Journeys.	Goods Carried (excluding Livestock).
	£ thousand.	£ thousand.	thousands.	thousand tons.
1950—March ...	10,926	9,978	65,637	4,334
1951—March†... ..	12,345	12,312	66,827	3,690
June ...	14,043	14,474†	68,506	4,427
September ...	13,566	14,138	66,454	4,794
December‡ ...	17,973	14,920	66,771	4,671
1952—March ...	18,802	15,698	67,885	4,440

* Including proportion of sinking fund for retirement of assets which in Table 55 is classified as "Sinking Fund".

† Includes amounts not wholly applicable to quarter.

‡ Railway freight charges were increased from 16th October, 1950, and 22nd October, 1951, and passenger fares from 1st November, 1950, and 1st November, 1951.

No. 57.—State Tramways and Omnibuses—Finances.

Year ended 30th June	Capital Cost at 30th June.		Earnings.					Expenditure.		Surplus or Deficit (—).	
			Metropolitan.		Newcastle.		Total.	Operating Ex- penses.	Current Depreciation and Capital Charges.		
	Trams.	Buses.	Trams.	Buses.	Trams.	Buses.					
£ thousand.											
1939	...	9,139	889	3,244	838	205	87	4,374	3,707	646	21
1945	...	8,715	1,178	4,013	1,223	307	247	5,790	5,348	537	(—) 95
1946	...	8,727	1,193	4,071	1,302	299	264	5,936	5,826	489	(—) 379
1947	...	8,736	1,628	4,080	1,432	280	314	6,106	6,228	479	(—) 601
1948	...	8,754	2,631	4,984	2,127	326	417	7,854	7,895	635	(—) 676
1949	...	7,168	3,862	4,822	3,062	276	581	8,741	8,580	471	(—) 310
1950*	...	6,891	4,573	4,640	3,548	152	759	9,099	9,538	565	(—) 804
1951	...	6,865	5,530	5,163	4,036	†	1,073	10,272	11,201	631	(—) 1,560

* Earnings exclude a special grant of £200,000 by the Commonwealth Government towards losses due to an industrial dispute in coal mines, June to August, 1949. † Services discontinued from 16th June, 1950.

No. 58.—State Tramways and Omnibuses—Traffic.

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Passengers.						Omnibus Mileage.		
	Metro- politan. *	Newcastle.	Total. *			Metro- politan.	Newcastle.	Total	
			Trams.	Buses.	Trams and Buses.				
thousands.									
1939	351,264	23,935	310,784	64,415	375,199	11,344	1,324	12,668	
1946	497,343	45,161	417,344	125,160	542,504	15,058	3,491	18,549	
1947	490,092	43,870	403,170	130,792	533,962	16,065	3,936	20,001	
1948	468,963	43,429	367,739	144,653	512,392	18,851	4,307	23,158	
1949	449,012	42,310	312,941	178,381	491,322	23,847	5,392	29,239	
1950	436,224	41,454	274,681	202,997	477,678	27,421	6,881	34,302	
1951	414,975	42,657	249,066	208,566	457,632	24,629	7,588	32,217	

* Exclusive of Sydney Harbour Bridge passengers whose journey did not extend beyond the Bridge Section.

No. 59.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.

(Exclusive of Vehicles of Defence Services.)

At end of Month.	Cars. *	Public Passenger Vehicles. †	Lorries, Utilities and Vans.	Total of Fore-going.	Cycles.		Traders' Plates.	Tractors. ‡	Trailers.	Total on Register.
					Solo.	Sidecar.				
1939—June	213,331	4,807	76,726	294,864	17,180	6,971	1,164	1,035	6,414	327,623
1945—"	182,972	4,853	82,957	270,782	12,043	4,025	651	1,746	9,065	298,312
1946—"	188,191	5,213	97,176	290,580	15,546	4,946	848	2,056	11,067	323,043
1947—"	195,857	5,631	113,544	315,032	19,316	5,856	1,160	2,374	14,712	358,450
1948—"	210,506	6,262	127,413	344,181	23,501	6,575	1,438	3,398	18,317	397,410
1949—"	232,837	6,635	140,338	379,810	29,198	7,181	1,781	4,455	21,525	443,950
1950—"	269,250	7,134	159,226	435,610	34,732	7,729	2,189	5,404	24,840	510,504
1951—Mar.	299,620	7,663	175,908	483,191	37,738	7,996	2,413	6,375	27,400	565,113
June	308,294	7,671	181,529	497,494	39,007	7,844	2,500	6,679	28,131	581,655
Sept.	316,583	7,893	186,374	510,850	39,778	7,905	2,566	7,060	28,743	596,902
Dec.	327,566	7,947	191,776	527,289	40,214	8,024	2,630	7,508	30,126	615,791
1952—Jan.	330,114	7,959	193,002	531,075	40,158	8,108	2,658	7,591	30,725	620,315
Feb.	331,944	7,993	193,906	533,813	40,147	8,106	2,680	7,644	30,936	623,326
Mar.	333,872	8,006	194,254	536,132	39,932	8,196	2,550	7,717	31,141	625,668

* Excluding public passenger vehicles.

† Classification is shown in the following table.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

No. 60.—Public Passenger Motor Vehicles Registered in New South Wales.

At end of Month.	Metropolitan and Newcastle.				Other Districts.				Tourist Vehicles, all Districts.	Total, New South Wales.
	Omni-buses.	Taxi-cabs.	Hire Cars.	Total.	Omni-buses.	Taxi-cabs.	Hire Cars.	Total.		
1939—June	777	1,311	558	2,646	653	554	855	2,062	99	4,807
1945—"	1,023	1,351	531	2,905	868	630	450	1,948	...	4,853
1946—"	1,069	1,357	480	2,906	960	765	511	2,236	71	5,213
1947—"	1,168	1,431	491	3,090	1,032	874	534	2,440	101	5,631
1948—"	1,436	1,632	496	3,564	1,158	926	491	2,575	123	6,262
1949—"	1,634	1,647	503	3,784	1,313	965	447	2,725	126	6,635
1950—"	1,818	1,695	516	4,029	1,436	1,065	459	2,960	145	7,134
1951—Mar.	1,905	1,970	511	4,386	1,514	1,140	465	3,119	158	7,663
June	1,905	2,014	511	4,430	1,458	1,164	470	3,092	149	7,671
Sept.	1,917	2,214	509	4,640	1,458	1,183	464	3,105	148	7,893
Dec.	1,928	2,237	510	4,675	1,404	1,196	464	3,124	148	7,947
1952—Jan.	1,933	2,253	509	4,695	1,452	1,208	457	3,117	147	7,959
Feb.	1,929	2,268	513	4,710	1,448	1,214	448	3,110	143	7,963
Mar.	1,944	2,278	512	4,734	1,463	1,220	446	3,129	143	8,006

No. 61.—Motor Vehicles—Registrations of New and Old Vehicles in New South Wales.

Period.	Cars.	Lorries, Utilities and Vans.	Omni-buses. *	Taxi-cabs. *	Total of Fore-going.	Cycles.	Tractors. †	Trailers.	Total.
NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED.									
Year ended June—									
1939	19,924	7,712	130	569	28,335	2,196	209	1,505	32,245
1947	7,998	5,487	116	7	13,608	2,850	254	2,950	19,662
1948	16,650	9,079	329	133	26,200	4,451	551	2,970	34,172
1949	25,466	11,674	339	186	37,665	7,442	806	3,371	49,284
1950	41,163	20,158	212	133	61,666	8,659	947	4,057	75,329
1951	46,689	29,076	84	323	76,172	8,855	1,105	4,473	90,605
1951—March Qr.	9,910	6,497	7	84	16,498	2,240	264	1,239	20,241
June Qr.	10,518	7,275	19	57	17,869	2,430	263	1,079	21,641
September Qr.	11,191	6,778	17	63	18,049	2,071	271	957	21,348
December Qr.	12,760	7,310	40	93	20,203	1,773	299	1,635	23,910
1952—March Qr.	9,274	5,820	39	55	15,188	1,287	188	1,440	18,103
OLD VEHICLES RE-REGISTERED (AFTER LAPSE OF REGISTRATION).‡									
Year ended June—									
1939	19,194	12,206	68	122	31,590	4,811	98	861	37,360
1947	10,142	17,839	62	379	28,422	5,731	365	2,485	37,003
1948	7,594	11,812	28	554	19,988	4,768	685	2,505	27,946
1949	7,986	9,304	115	492	17,897	3,951	559	1,857	24,264
1950	9,427	9,733	63	610	19,833	4,239	534	1,642	26,248
1951	12,999	10,816	148	928	24,891	5,400	708	1,797	32,796
1951—March Qr.	3,483	2,897	9	172	6,561	1,519	175	552	8,807
June Qr.	3,628	3,012	18	192	6,850	1,490	194	433	8,967
September Qr.	3,542	2,910	16	370	6,838	1,526	242	340	8,946
December Qr.	3,737	2,824	18	207	6,786	1,637	256	505	9,184
1952—March Qr.	3,290	2,630	16	200	6,136	1,682	176	559	8,553

* Metropolitan and Newcastle Districts only; similar vehicles in other districts are included as cars.

† Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

‡ Includes original registrations of ex-service vehicles.

No. 62.—New Motor Vehicles Registered in N.S.W.—Makes.

Country of Origin and Make of Vehicle.	Year ended June.				Quarter ended—				
					1951.				1952.
	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.	Mar.	June.	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.

NEW MOTOR CARS REGISTERED.

United Kingdom—Austin	1,120	3,648	8,106	6,371	1,139	1,586	1,516	1,905	823
Ford, 8 and 10 h.p.	1,017	2,718	4,514	4,023	671	466	1,070	836	477
Hillman	855	1,272	1,967	1,485	308	352	301	496	334
Morris	1,495	3,430	3,884	5,474	1,187	1,242	1,442	1,479	1,729
Standard	1,328	1,868	3,904	3,419	727	998	645	1,096	366
Vauxhall	1,844	3,241	3,081	3,140	747	815	643	634	390
Other	1,260	3,317	6,315	7,597	1,995	1,501	1,207	1,547	1,801
U.S.A. and Canada—Chevrolet	1,546	1,522	579	993	228	154	78	271	207
Chrysler-Plymouth	576	584	420	873	135	296	134	201	223
Dodge	736	657	385	743	185	124	225	260	209
Ford V8 and Mercury	2,132	651	1,346	1,463	198	427	480	572	380
Other	2,623	1,353	525	665	209	117	147	175	147
Totals—United Kingdom	8,919	19,494	31,771	31,509	6,774	6,960	6,824	7,993	5,920
U.S.A. and Canada	7,613	4,767	3,255	4,737	955	1,118	1,064	1,479	1,166
Australia (Holden) ... ..	...	...	4,814	7,793	1,703	1,784	2,219	2,171	1,824
Europe (excl. U.K.)	127	426	1,323	2,740	478	656	1,084	1,117	364
Total Cars	16,659	25,466	41,163	46,689	9,910	10,518	11,191	12,760	9,274

NEW MOTOR LORRIES, UTILITIES AND VANS REGISTERED.

United Kingdom—Austin	350	1,070	4,394	6,788	1,640	1,672	1,554	1,747	1,443
Bedford	639	1,808	2,254	2,859	574	650	571	623	452
Morris	105	1,080	1,757	3,291	848	957	688	630	391
Other	565	1,891	6,119	9,110	1,962	1,997	1,917	1,799	1,369
U.S.A. and Canada—Chevrolet	2,738	1,911	915	1,608	324	313	128	380	315
Dodge	571	452	684	786	184	241	262	170	148
Ford	2,110	1,999	1,887	1,856	275	395	472	520	464
International	762	1,958	467	589	112	249	223	369	366
Studebaker	181	244	49	87	4	...	4	3	12
Other	1,057	1,034	1,521	1,375	403	328	514	423	298
Totals—United Kingdom	1,659	5,849	14,524	22,048	5,024	5,276	4,730	4,799	3,655
U.S.A. and Canada	7,419	5,818	5,523	6,301	1,302	1,526	1,603	1,865	1,603
Australia (Holden) ... ..	...	...	...	554	132	421	378	566	427
Europe (excl. U.K.)	1	7	111	173	39	52	67	80	135
Total Lorries, etc.	9,079	11,674	20,158	29,076	6,497	7,275	6,778	7,310	5,820

No. 63.—New Motor Vehicles Registered in N.S.W.—Country of Origin.

Period.	Motor Cars.					Motor Lorries, Utilities, and Vans.				
	Australia	United Kingdom	U.S.A., Canada.	Europe (exc. U.K.)	Total.	Australia	United Kingdom	U.S.A., Canada.	Europe (exc. U.K.)	Total.

Year ended June—

1939 ... ..	...	38.8	60.6	0.6	19,924	...	25.0	74.6	0.4	7,712
1947 ... ..	...	53.2	46.8	...	7,998	...	19.3	80.7	...	5,487
1948 ... ..	...	53.5	45.7	0.8	16,659	...	18.3	81.7	...	9,079
1949 ... ..	...	3.1	76.5	18.7	25,466	...	50.1	49.8	0.1	11,674
1950 ... ..	...	11.7	77.2	7.9	41,163	...	72.0	27.4	0.6	20,158
1951 ... ..	...	16.5	67.5	10.1	46,689	...	75.8	21.7	0.6	29,076

Quarter—

1948—March ... ..	...	50.6	48.5	0.9	3,534	...	15.9	84.1	...	1,812
June ... ..	...	63.4	35.6	1.0	5,472	...	24.1	75.9	...	2,374
September ... ..	...	75.9	22.7	1.4	6,922	...	37.9	62.1	...	3,013
December ... ..	...	0.1	74.6	23.0	5,674	...	46.2	53.7	0.1	2,907
1949—March ... ..	...	2.3	79.0	17.1	1.6	...	50.1	49.8	0.1	2,507
June ... ..	...	8.6	76.9	13.0	1.5	...	64.9	35.1	...	3,247
September ... ..	...	6.6	79.8	11.9	1.7	...	63.9	35.9	0.2	3,618
December ... ..	...	12.3	76.5	8.4	2.8	...	68.1	31.2	0.7	3,041
1950—March ... ..	...	13.5	77.4	6.4	2.7	...	73.9	25.4	0.7	5,080
June ... ..	...	12.4	76.2	6.7	4.7	...	78.3	21.2	0.5	6,419
September ... ..	...	16.1	69.1	9.5	5.3	...	75.7	24.0	0.3	7,360
December ... ..	...	15.9	66.2	10.9	7.0	...	77.8	21.5	0.7	7,944
1951—March ... ..	...	17.2	68.4	9.6	4.8	...	77.3	20.1	0.6	6,497
June ... ..	...	17.0	66.2	10.6	6.2	...	72.5	21.0	0.7	7,275
September ... ..	...	19.8	61.0	9.5	9.7	...	69.8	23.6	1.0	6,778
December ... ..	...	17.0	62.7	11.5	8.8	...	7.7	65.6	1.1	7,310
1952—March ... ..	...	19.7	63.8	12.6	3.9	...	7.4	62.8	2.3	5,820

No. 64.—Road Accident Casualties—N.S.W.

Period.	Motor Drivers.	Motor Cyclists.	Pedal Cyclists.	Passengers.	Pedestrians	Others.	Total.
KILLED.							
Year ended June—1939 ...	66	66	80	164	164	12	552
1947 ...	68	74	41	157	153	15	508
1948 ...	58	67	52	154	160	17	508
1949 ...	77	92	43	156	182	14	564
1950 ...	73	105	41	142	194	6	561
1951 ...	114	121	33	208	216	7	699
1951—March Qr. ...	29	34	5	58	37	2	105
June Qr. ...	39	32	9	53	73	1	207
September Qr. ...	26	35	11	50	64	4	177
December Qr. ...	25	44	7	50	49	4	179
1952—March Qr. ...	32	36	7	61	43	2	181
INJURED.							
Year ended June—1939 ...	1,047	938	1,297	2,945	2,045	116	8,388
1947 ...	1,145	1,011	894	3,469	2,111	122	8,752
1948 ...	1,168	1,162	963	3,052	2,100	112	8,557
1949 ...	1,314	1,440	926	3,332	2,155	86	9,253
1950 ...	1,571	1,852	988	3,492	2,420	82	10,405
1951 ...	1,956	2,168	984	3,922	2,720	67	11,817
1951—March Qr. ...	506	541	250	979	576	18	2,870
June Qr. ...	532	579	297	1,044	827	24	3,303
September Qr. ...	476	504	201	919	704	13	2,817
December Qr. ...	588	635	256	1,146	665	10	3,300
1952—March Qr. ...	510	486	236	1,021	511	12	2,776

NOTE.—In the year ended 30th June, 1951, there were 9,694 road accidents with casualties and 10,184 without casualties.

No. 65.—State Revenue and Expenditure—New South Wales.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.					
	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.
REVENUE.						
£ thousand.						
Governmental—						
Receipts from Commonwealth for—						
Uniform Tax—Reimbursement ...	15,045	16,128	18,302	21,879	25,331	36,613
Interest on Public Debt ...	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917
Losses caused by Coal Strike § ...	...	...	...	...	61	...
Hospital Benefits etc. ...	...	1,058	1,210	1,789	2,005	2,218
Other ...	...	3	5	223	508	360
State Taxes* ...	7,146	8,041	9,533	10,454	11,937	14,547
Land, Mining, Forestry ...	1,649	1,862	2,658	2,887	3,279	3,545
Services Rendered ...	1,822	1,975	2,266	2,869	2,877	3,215
Miscellaneous—						
State Lotteries—Gross Profit ...	1,453	1,612	2,043	2,288	2,533	2,852
Repayments of Previous Years' Votes ...	918	846	548	685	943	286
Other ...	1,609	1,559	1,603	1,897	1,934	2,090
Total Governmental ...	32,559	36,001	41,085	47,888	54,325	68,643
Business Undertakings—						
Railways† § ...	31,313	30,353	36,906	39,664	43,122	49,448
Tramways and Omnibuses § ...	5,936	6,105	7,854	8,741	9,290	10,272
Sydney Harbour ...	1,420	1,380	1,447	1,569	1,658	1,955
Total Business Undertakings ...	38,669	37,838	46,207	49,974	54,079	61,675
Total Revenue‡ ...	71,228	73,839	87,292	97,862	108,404	130,318
EXPENDITURE.						
Governmental—						
Legislature and General Administration ...	2,046	2,220	3,288	3,349	3,722	5,061
Law, Order and Public Safety ...	3,335	3,768	4,466	4,977	5,533	6,135
Regulation of Trade and Industry ...	167	215	295	553	573	631
Education ...	7,055	8,599	9,642	11,206	13,170	15,846
Science, Art and Research ...	123	170	188	218	243	297
Public Health and Recreation ...	4,475	5,935	7,919	9,602	11,689	13,704
Social Amelioration ...	1,382	1,487	1,610	1,807	2,004	2,060
War Obligations ...	624	583	148	169	178	184
Development and Maintenance of State Resources† ...	3,723	4,524	4,371	4,898	5,566	6,979
Local Government ...	490	513	496	551	850	751
Adjustment of Old Accounts ...	666	400	700	50	540	722
Total (Ordinary Departmental) ...	24,086	28,414	33,123	37,380	44,068	52,370
Business Undertakings (Working Expenses)—						
Railways ...	24,708	25,406	30,471	35,393	38,913	48,844
Tramways and Omnibuses ...	5,983	6,378	8,155	8,734	9,755	11,471
Sydney Harbour ...	641	705	795	926	960	1,158
Total Business Undertakings ...	31,332	32,489	39,421	45,053	49,628	61,473
Public Debt Charges—						
Interest ...	11,207	10,693	10,818	11,127	11,653	12,042
Exchange on Interest ...	1,533	1,453	1,283	1,209	1,258	1,276
Sinking Fund... ...	2,700	2,640	2,769	2,929	2,974	3,124
Total Public Debt Charges ...	15,440	14,786	14,870	15,265	15,885	16,442
Total Expenditure§ ...	70,858	75,689	87,414	97,698	109,581	130,285
Surplus or Deficit ...	370	(—)1,850	(—)122	164	(—)1,177	33

* Details of taxes, see Table 67.

† Annual contribution, £800,000, from Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on developmental railways is omitted to avoid duplication.

§ A grant from the Commonwealth of £3,261,000 in 1949–50 towards revenue losses incurred in coal strike is in this statement credited to: Governmental £61,000, Railways £3,000,000, Tramways and Omnibuses £200,000.

‡ Excludes Road Transport and Traffic Fund.

No. 66.—State Revenue and Expenditure—New South Wales.

Revenue.	Nine Months : July-Mar.		Expenditure.	Nine Months : July-Mar.	
	1950-51	1951-52		1950-51	1951-52
	£ thousand.			£ thousand.	
Governmental—			Governmental—		
From Commonwealth—			Departmental	35,039	48,894
Uniform Tax	18,342	28,739	Business Undertakings—Work-		
Interest on Debt	2,188	2,188	ing Expenses—		
Probate and Stamp Duty	8,423	9,715	Railways	35,029	45,887
Other Taxes	1,559	2,066	Trams and Buses	7,803	9,435
Land, Mining, etc.	2,187	3,733	Sydney Harbour	806	1,065
Services	2,318	2,065	Total	43,638	56,387
Miscellaneous	5,805	7,092			
Total	40,822	55,598	Debt Charges—		
			Exchange and Loan Manage-		
Business Undertakings—			ment	1,032	1,021
Railways	35,084	47,918	Interest	10,107	10,513
Trams and Buses	7,671	8,143	Sinking Fund... ..	2,781	3,036
Sydney Harbour	1,428	1,689			
Total	44,183	57,750	Less—Recoups by Other		
Total Revenue	85,005	113,348	Accounts... ..	1,495	1,598
			Total*	12,425	12,972
			Total Expenditure	91,102	118,253

* Total debt charges in respect of Governmental and Business Undertakings shown above.

No. 67.—State Taxation—New South Wales.

The Australian States ceased to levy Income Tax from 1st July, 1942, and Entertainments Tax from 1st October, 1942, upon the introduction of the Commonwealth uniform tax schemes. The States are reimbursed for loss of tax revenue, by (a) an annual grant from the Commonwealth and (b) arrears of State Income Tax collected; the amounts received by New South Wales are shown below:—

Taxes.	Year ended 30th June.						
	1945.	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.
	£ thousand.						
Income Tax*	526	472	345	238	143	159	203
Probate	2,780	3,317	3,690	4,611	4,872	5,140	6,409
Stamp Duties	1,337	1,654	2,136	2,462	2,809	3,979	4,988
Racing and Betting	687	882	906	1,067	1,355	1,355	1,498
Liquor Licences	687	752	884	1,074	1,191	1,221	1,367
Other	65	69	80	81	84	84	82
Motor Tax, Licences, etc.	6,082	7,146	8,041	9,533	10,454	11,936	14,547
	2,370	2,618	2,938	3,469	3,957	4,648	6,302
Total State Taxes	8,452	9,764	10,979	13,002	14,411	16,584	20,849
Commonwealth Reimbursement—Uniform Tax	14,991	15,045	16,128	18,302	21,879	25,331	36,613†

* Arrears of State Income Tax collected. † Includes two supplementary grants totalling £8,277,000.

No. 68.—State Loan Expenditure—New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Gross Loan Expenditure.	Repayments to Loan Account.	Net Loan Expenditure.	Year ended 30th June.	Gross Loan Expenditure.	Repayments to Loan Account.	Net Loan Expenditure.
	£ thousand.				£ thousand.		
1939	8,788	3,380	5,408	1948	16,241	1,112	15,129
1940	6,945	1,059	5,886	1949	22,960	904	22,056
1941	5,362	1,019	4,343	1950	27,218	2,368	24,850
1942	4,618	1,460	3,158	1951	41,168	3,019	38,149
1943	2,789	888	1,901				
1944	3,029	1,618	1,411	July-Mar.			
1945	3,139	1,416	1,723	1950-51	23,023	1,907	21,116
1946	4,554	1,291	3,263	1951-52	37,871	1,224	36,647
1947	9,102	462	8,640				

No. 69.—Public Debt and Annual Interest—New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Public Debt.					Annual Interest on Public Debt.†				
	Registered in—			Total of Fore- going.	Per Head of Popu- lation.	Payable in—			Total of Fore- going.	
	Aus- tralia.	London.	New York.			Aus- tralia.	Lon- don.	New York.		
	£A. thous.	£Stg. thous.	£thous.*	£thous.	£	£A. thous.	£Stg. thous.	£thous.*	£thous.	
1945 ...	197,567	145,922	11,562	355,051	121.66	6,185	5,524	559	12,268	
1946 ...	197,198	144,675	11,367	353,240	119.96	6,169	5,152	549	11,870	
1947 ...	205,914	144,676	11,438	362,028	121.29	6,451	4,983	385	11,819	
1948 ...	233,099	139,672	11,309	384,080	126.96	7,280	4,430	381	12,091	
1949 ...	246,433	138,865	11,196	396,494	127.45	7,700	4,311	377	12,388	
1950 ...	279,390	134,826	11,073	425,289	131.86	8,637	4,125	373	13,135	
1951 ...	328,354	122,943	10,944	462,241	139.35	9,842	3,710	369	13,921	

* Dollars converted at \$4.8665 to £1. † Represents one year's interest on debt outstanding at 30th June.

No. 70.—State Debt Sinking Fund—New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Contributions by—			Securities Repurchased and Redeemed.					
	Common- wealth.	New South Wales.	Total.*	Net Cost. (Aust. Currency).		Face Value.			
				Aust.	Oversea.	Aust.	London.	New York.	
	£ thousand.			£ thousand.		£A. thous.	£Stg. thous.	£ thous.†	
1945	671	2,944	3,642	2,674	2,161	2,674	1,595	107	
1946	644	2,984	3,657	1,730	848	1,731	441	196	
1947	648	2,938	3,627	3,144	277	3,134	...	183	
1948	693	3,067	3,783	2,067	2,932	2,066	2,197	129	
1949	745	3,256	4,020	3,769	370	3,749	169	113	
1950	804	3,495	4,308	1,507	280	1,501	58	123	
1951	876	3,688	4,577	3,789	3,352	3,780	2,482	129	
Total, 1929-51 ...	14,091	46,977	61,858	31,248	30,542	31,169	21,541	3,540	

* Includes interest earnings, £321,000 and Federal Aid Roads, £469,000 to 30th June, 1951.

† Face value of securities converted at \$4.8665 to £1.

No. 71.—Commonwealth Loans Raised by Public Subscription in Australia.

Date of Flotation.	Floated by Commonwealth on Account of all Australian Governments.					Share of New Raising Allocated to—	
	Interest Rate.	Issue Price.	Year of Maturity.	Amount of Loan.		New South Wales.	Other States.
				Con-version.	New Raising.		
	per cent.	£		£ thousand.		£ thousand.	
1948—April ...	3½	100	1957-60	...	43,294	12,855	16,173
October ...	3½	100	1962	48,920	50,965	3,635	11,365
1949—Mar.—Apr. ...	2	100	1952	29,502	14,875	1,996	2,691
Sept.—Oct. ...	3½	100	1960-63	31,263	61,752	8,287	11,171
" " ...	2	100	1953	25,464	10,988	3,558	4,477
1950—March ...	3½	100	1960-63	45,552	50,782	16,442	20,690
" " ...	2	100	1953	1,964	8,705	1,316	2,377
August ...	3½	100	1961-64	199	53,934	9,210	18,673
" " ...	2	100	1953	8,303	7,944	1,344	5,010
November ...	3½	100	1961-64	18,337	50,811	8,598	32,048
" " ...	2	100	1953	13,762	2,912	461	1,515
1951—May ...	3½	100	1961-64	89,191	40,966	6,539	21,485
" " ...	2	100	1954	...	3,275	1,517	1,717
September* ...	3½	99	1962-65	...	45,992	21,441	24,264
" " ...	2	100	1954	...	8,911	2,595	5,264
November* ...	3½	100	1962-65	...	23,590	6,868	13,933
" " ...	2	100	1954	3,324	4,544	806	1,668
" " ...	3½	100	1962-65	14,570	17,637	3,126	6,476

* Subject to revision.

No. 72.—Commonwealth Government—Revenue and Expenditure.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.			Nine Months: July-Mar.	
	1949.	1950.	1951.	1950-51.	1951-52.
REVENUE.					
Customs	63,464	77,726	91,920	66,319	90,108
Excise	62,735	66,157	73,083	54,316	74,186
Sales Tax	39,029	42,424	57,173	39,938	69,464
Income Tax—Individuals	109,214	95,416	177,464	94,207	222,790
Companies	72,878	83,677	90,536		
Social Services Contribution	90,255	100,560	73,958	58,805	6,205
Wool Deduction** ... ..	...	...	109,531	66,731	9,362
Pay Roll Tax	19,803	22,728	28,721	20,479	27,491
Land Tax	3,032	4,211	3,591	1,337	1,664
Estate Duty	4,740	6,054	6,401	4,163	5,598
Entertainments Tax	5,299	4,698	5,148	3,649	4,541
Gift Duty	582	745	1,044	702	947
Gold Tax	(—)	4	9	...	...
Total Taxes	471,027	504,387	718,570	410,646	512,356
Post Office	33,307	38,349	44,777	32,033	43,082
Broadcasting ... ..	...	1,934	1,970	1,407	1,839
Railways	1,605	1,804	2,045	1,362	1,721
Territories	738	926	1,149	784	1,145
From Trust Funds	17,000	6,700	...	8,939	10,878
Miscellaneous	11,371	12,479	15,084		
Primary Production*	535,048	566,579	783,595	455,171	571,021
Total Revenue	19,329	14,073	58,197	42,006	12,203
554,377	580,652	841,792	497,177	583,224	
EXPENDITURE.					
Social Services†—					
Age and Invalid Pensions	41,694	44,557	49,520	36,179	43,175
Child Endowment	24,323	30,337	43,585	32,414	34,932
Hospital Benefits	5,880	6,320	6,536	5,031	5,000
Widows' Pensions	4,388	4,421	4,828	10,468	16,347
Maternity Allowances	2,829	3,008	3,057		
Unemployment and Sickness	1,070	2,506	1,037	10,468	16,347
Other	593	1,655	6,420		
To States—Tax Reimbursements	80,777	92,804	114,983	84,092	99,454
Other	53,488	62,271	90,107	44,988	71,879
Capital Works††	25,116	38,861	37,925	28,294	29,830
Post Office	37,498	61,198	73,468	44,819	72,187
Broadcasting	40,884	47,512	54,802	35,840	41,324
Railways	35	2,872	3,591	2,626	2,858
Territories	2,594	2,792	3,381	1,902	2,176
Defence Services††	5,768	7,293	8,261	5,676	6,727
War and Repatriation†—	61,046	54,246	148,067	61,785	103,782
Debt Charges	57,761	58,324	58,449	71,357	37,489
Pensions	20,268	22,023	27,532		
Other	78,181	62,359	72,427	29,001	24,498
Subsidies ... ..	...	...	40,537	51,879	52,143
Debt Charges, n.e.i.	3,493	3,460	3,657	40,320	51,232
Other	38,859	45,563	57,484	...	...
Primary Production*	505,768	561,578	794,671	502,579	595,588
Total Expenditure	19,329	14,073	58,197	42,006	12,203
525,097	575,651	852,868	544,585	607,791	

* Self-balancing items.

† Actual expenditure from National Welfare Fund.

‡ 1914-1918 war and 1939-1945 war.

§ Includes expenditure chargeable to Loan Fund: £25.5 m. in 1949-50, £28.8 m. in 1950-51; and in nine months ended March, £21.6 m. in 1951 and £3.6 m. in 1952.

|| Included under "War and Repatriation—Other," viz., £23,069,000 in 1948-49 and £20,628,000 in 1949-50.

¶ Debt charges attributable to these items are included in

included under "Defence Services".

** For prepayment of income tax.

†† Capital expenditure on defence works is

Expenditure from Loan Fund (other than Defence and Post-war which is included above) consisted of advances to

States for housing; viz., £14,492,000 in 1948-49, £17,215,000 in 1949-50, and £21,640,000 in 1950-51. In the nine

months ended March, the amount was £14,350,000 in 1951 and £20,014,000 in 1952.

No. 73.—Commonwealth Expenditure on Social Services* in N.S.W.†

Year ended 30th June.	Age and Invalid Pensions.	Pensioners' Funeral Benefits.	Maternity Allowances.	Child Endowment.	Widows' Pensions.	Unemployment and Sickness Benefits.	Hospital Benefits.	Other Benefits.	Total of Foregoing.
£ thousand.									
1939 ...	6,415	...	168	...	...	...	...	...	6,583
1941 ...	7,054	...	155	...	...	...	...	...	7,209
1942 ...	7,866	...	133	4,473	...	...	...	...	12,472
1943 ...	9,250	...	104	4,580	949	...	...	...	14,883
1944 ...	8,867	38	889	4,862	1,147	...	...	...	15,803
1945 ...	8,994	61	983	4,700	1,200	...	...	...	15,938
1946 ...	11,225	73	967	7,077	1,293	475	15	...	21,127
1947 ...	12,277	84	1,155	7,728	1,355	438	1,465	8	24,510
1948 ...	15,061	77	1,089	7,603	1,583	378	1,597	42	27,430
1949 ...	17,489	110	1,070	9,313	1,762	380	2,162	91	32,377
1950 ...	18,736	96	1,155	11,611	1,773	1,549	2,427	286	37,633
1951 ...	20,856	104	1,149	16,872	1,972	372	2,615	1,856	45,796

* Items listed in the National Welfare Fund.

† Including Australian Capital Territory.

No. 74.—Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in N.S.W.*

(i) Total Pensioners and Payments.

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners at 30th June.				Payments during Year.		
	Age.	Invalid.	In Benevolent Asylums.	Total.	Pensions. †	To Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for Maintenance of Pensioners.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£ thousand.		
1939 ...	87,425	41,887	1,308	130,620	6,360	55	6,415
1946 ...	108,685	28,255	1,415	138,355	11,137	88	11,225
1947 ...	119,236	30,490	1,515	151,241	12,242	35	12,277
1948 ...	123,763	33,110	1,558	158,431	15,024	37	15,061
1949 ...	131,941	35,521	1,559	169,021	17,442	47	17,489
1950 ...	138,121	34,604	1,130	173,855	18,705	31	18,736
1951 ...	141,658	32,709	1,341	175,708	20,805	51	20,856

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† Includes payments to pensioners in benevolent asylums and hospitals, and since July, 1943, allowances to wives and children of invalid pensioners.

(ii) Sex of Pensioners and Average Rates.

At 30th June.		AGE PENSIONS.						INVALID PENSIONS.							
		Pensions Current.			Weekly Rate.			Pensions Current.			Weekly Rate.				
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Maxi- mum.	Aver- age.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Maxi- mum.	Aver- age.				
				s.	d.	s.	d.					s.	d.	s.	d.
1939	...	37,633	49,792	87,425	20	0	19	3	17,630	24,257	41,887	20	0	19	5
1946	...	39,752	68,933	108,685	32	6	31	4	14,446	13,809	28,255	32	6	31	9
1947	...	42,886	76,350	119,236	32	6	31	4	15,978	14,512	30,490	32	6	31	9
1948	...	43,640	80,123	123,763	37	6	35	11	17,595	15,515	33,110	37	6	36	6
1949	...	48,194	83,747	131,941	42	6	40	1	19,426	16,095	35,521	42	6	41	2
1950	...	49,624	88,497	138,121	42	6	39	11	19,068	15,536	34,604	42	6	40	11
1951	...	50,289	91,369	141,658	50	0*	47	2	18,321	14,388	32,709	50	0*	48	3

* Increased to 60s. per week from October, 1951.

NOTE.—Pensioners in benevolent asylums receive allowance instead of pension; from October, 1951, the maximum rate was 21s. per week.

No. 75.—Commonwealth Child Endowment in N.S.W.*

Year ended 30th June.		Claims in Force at 30th June.							Endowment Paid During Year.	
		Family Groups.				Approved Institutions.				
		Claims.	Endowed Children.	Average per Claim.		Institutions.	Endowed Children.			
				Endowed Children.	Annual Liability.					
		No.	No.	No.	£	s.	d.	No.	No.	£ thous.
1942	...	192,558	356,460	1'851	24	1	4	67	3,820	4,473
1946	...	211,946	375,395	1'771	34	10	9	107	5,776	7,077
1947	...	222,668	390,915	1'756	34	4	8	114	5,776	7,728
1948	...	233,826	407,368	1'742	33	19	6	115	5,815	7,603
1949	...	247,027	426,991	1'729	44	18	10	115	5,466	9,313
1950	...	263,959†	463,112†	1'754†	45	12	4†	115	5,892	11,611
1951	...	458,829	930,697	2'028	39	14	9	111	6,392	16,892

* Including Australian Capital Territory. † Excluding particulars in respect of the first child in the family under 16 years of age (see below).

NOTE.—Commonwealth Child Endowment commenced on 1st July, 1941; the rate was 5s. a week for each child under 16 years of age (except one) in the family and each child under 16 years of age in an approved institution; the rate was increased to 7s. 6d. from 26th June, 1945, and to 10s. from 9th November, 1948. From 20th June, 1950, endowment at the rate of 5s. a week was payable in respect of the first child in the family under 16 years of age.

No. 76.—Commonwealth Maternity Allowances in N.S.W.*

Year ended 30th June.	Amount of Allowance.	Annual Income Limit.	Confinements (approximate).	Maternity Allowances Paid.	
				No.	Amount.
1939 ...	£4 10s. to £7 10s.	247 to 338	No. 48,925	30,860	£ 167,710
1946 ...	£15 to £17 10s.†	No limit	61,500	60,730	966,967
1947 ...			74,100	73,110	1,154,674
1948 ...			68,500	68,116	1,089,449
1949 ...			68,200	67,534	1,070,126
1950 ...			72,500	73,566	1,155,379
1951 ...			73,200	72,003	1,149,164

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† For plural births, since April, 1944, £5 is added for each additional child born.

No. 77.—Commonwealth Widows' Pensions in N.S.W.*

Year ended 30th June.	Pensions Current at 30th June.							Amount Paid during Year.
	Widow and Child.		Widow Aged 50 Years and Over.		Other Widows.	Total, All Widows.		
	No.	Average Rate per week.	No.	Average Rate per week.	No.	No.	Average Rate per week.	
1943	7,519	s. d. 30 3	7,439	s. d. 24 7	40	14,998	s. d. 27 5	£ thous. 1,949
1946	7,096	36 2	10,218	25 2	41	17,355	29 8	1,295
1947	7,456	36 2	9,055	25 5	61	16,572	30 3	1,355
1948	7,764	40 8	9,374	30 1	95	17,233	34 10	1,583
1949	7,751	45 8	9,537	35 3	114	17,402	39 11	1,762
1950	7,573	45 4	9,395	35 0	111	17,079	39 7	1,773
1951	7,651	52 3	9,194	39 8	130	16,975	45 5	1,972

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

NOTE.—The State of New South Wales supplements the pensions by allowances for children; 3,202 widows were receiving allowances at 30th June, 1951, and the amount paid in the year ended 30th June, 1951, was £122,981.

No. 78.—Commonwealth Unemployment and Sickness Benefits in N.S.W.*

NOTE.—These benefits, commenced on 1st July, 1945, are payable (subject to means test) to persons aged 16 to 65 years (females 60) whose normal earnings have been interrupted through unemployment, sickness or temporary incapacity. The weekly rate of benefit for unmarried minors is 15s. if under age 18 years, or 20s. if over 18 years, and for other persons 25s., plus 20s. for a dependent wife and 5s. for one dependent child.

(i) Amount of Benefits Paid and Admissions to Unemployment Benefit.

Period.	Number Admitted to Unemployment Benefit during Period.			Benefits Paid during Period.			
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Unemploy- ment.	Sickness.	Special. †	Total. †
Year—1945-46‡	38,592	10,197	48,789	£ 275,205	£ 198,943	£ 1,068	£ 475,216
1946-47	12,297	407	12,704	258,782	6,772		437,695
1947-48	3,234	282	3,516	60,499	302,987	14,434	377,920
1948-49	2,092	165	2,257	302,279	302,298	53,925	379,502
1949-50‡	103,599	23,901	127,506	1,064,698	307,315	176,698	1,548,711
1950-51	5,605	601	6,206	25,324	296,418	50,303	372,045
1950—September Qr.	1,607	231	1,838	6,795	79,295	15,997	102,087
December Qr.	1,445	118	1,563	4,755	76,706	13,538	94,999
1951—March Qr.	1,246	104	1,350	6,999	69,842	7,081	83,922
June Qr.	1,307	148	1,455	6,775	70,575	13,687	91,037
September Qr.	968	113	1,081	4,420	66,236	8,197	78,853
December Qr.	552	162	714	2,705	68,204	8,132	79,041
1952—March Qr.	961	692	1,653	9,036	59,215	9,148	77,399

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† Including payments to immigrants during training for employment.

‡ Affected by power restrictions occasioned by an industrial dispute.

(ii) Number Receiving Benefits at end of each Month.

Last Saturday of Month.	Unemployment.			Sickness.	Special. †	All Benefits.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1951—January	134	45	179	2,562	318	*	*	3,059
February	126	44	170	2,762	319	*	*	3,251
March	363	70	433	2,668	313	*	*	3,414
April	198	68	266	2,639	301	*	*	3,206
May	194	67	261	2,834	304	*	*	3,399
June	181	65	246	2,868	348	*	*	3,462
July	181	52	233	2,876	362	2,443	1,028	3,471
August	74	47	121	2,947	366	2,365	1,069	3,434
September	51	51	102	2,753	380	2,224	1,011	3,235
October	76	42	118	2,834	392	2,329	1,015	3,344
November	97	55	152	2,716	389	2,294	963	3,257
December	229	107	336	2,360	356	2,074	978	3,052
1952—January	209	127	336	2,314	344	2,039	955	2,994
February	260	200	460	2,363	358	2,130	1,051	3,181
March	369	489	858	2,542	384	2,352	1,432	3,784
April	654	716	1,370	2,324	396	2,516	1,574	4,090
May	1,810	877	2,687	2,565	412	3,832	1,832	5,664

* Not available.

† Excluding immigrants.

No. 79.—Commonwealth War and Service Pensions in N.S.W.*

Year ended 30th June.	WAR PENSIONS.					SERVICE PENSIONS.				
	Pensions Current at 30th June.				Amount Paid During Year.	Pensions Current at 30th June.				Amount Paid During Year.
	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependents of Incapacitated and Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.			Members of Forces.	Dependents.	All Service Pensions.		
			No.	Average Rate per Week.				No.	Average Rate per Week.	
				s. d.	£thous.				s. d.	£thous.
1939 ...	25,924	55,392	81,316	12 4	2,674	2,333	1,539	3,872	13 3	118
1946 ...	53,744	84,845	138,589	13 11	4,875	3,069	1,134	4,203	25 3	253
1947 ...	59,148	92,611	151,759	13 9	5,664	3,603	1,153	4,756	26 6	276
1948 ...	60,464	96,522	156,986	14 4	5,985	3,994	1,223	5,217	30 0	446
1949 ...	62,552	101,680	164,241	16 4	6,714	4,191	1,185	5,376	34 6	442
1950 ...	64,998	108,691	173,689	16 8	7,393	4,303	1,173	5,476	34 0	478
1951—										
'14 War	21,694	27,789	49,483	35 6	4,641	...	...	...	...	...
'39 War	43,463	87,202	130,665	15 5	4,755	...	...	...	...	...
Total	65,157	114,991	180,148	21 0	9,396	4,292	1,253	5,545	37 11	516

* Including Australian Capital Territory.

No. 80.—Trading Banks—Deposits and Assets in Australia.

Average of Weekly Figures.

Month.	Deposits.			Balances due to Other Banks.	Assets.				
	Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		Cash Items.	Treasury Bills.	Special Deposits with Commonw'th Bank.	Govt. and Municipal Securities.	Advances, etc.
MAJOR PRIVATE TRADING BANKS—£million.									
1939—June ...	117.1	200.9	318.0	§	28.6	23.9	...	22.1	291.7
1944— " ...	314.6	219.9	534.5	§	38.0	55.4	182.8	89.1	221.8
1945— " ...	358.5	224.0	582.5	§	36.5	46.5	241.8	104.3	207.9
1946— " ...	414.0	213.1	627.1	1.3	32.3	40.0	258.5	122.7	224.3
1947— " ...	446.7	201.6	648.3	2.5	34.4	13.8	275.4	80.6	289.7
1948— " ...	516.6	200.2	716.8	27.5†	45.6	19.1	293.0	59.5	348.8
1949†— " ...	601.5†	215.9	817.4†	49.8	40.0	11.1	381.2	62.5	383.3†
1950— " ...	765.5	239.4	1,004.9	45.8	51.1	20.2	442.8	96.5	427.2
1951— " ...	987.6	250.1	1,237.7	63.2	50.5	32.8	569.6	93.0	509.5
1951—January ...	909.9	249.2	1,159.1	48.7	64.8	41.8	498.5	85.9	482.0
February ...	950.9	247.3	1,198.2	59.1	60.8	42.3	523.1	92.4	495.3
March ...	1,038.9	246.2	1,285.1	44.1	70.7	57.8	532.5	92.6	507.2
October ...	937.0	242.2	1,179.2	66.5	56.1	23.4	509.8	68.2	593.8
November ...	950.5	240.2	1,190.7	70.4	61.9	19.2	494.5	63.2	620.7
December ...	1,002.2	240.2	1,242.4	65.7	69.2	36.0	483.9	61.9	624.8
1952—January ...	981.3	237.0	1,218.3	72.4	67.7	33.6	483.6	59.0	638.6
February ...	992.0	236.5	1,228.5	58.6	64.4	31.3	458.5	62.0	654.6
March ...	1,006.4	234.9	1,241.3	54.9	64.4	37.9	436.5	67.6	664.1

* The seven major private trading banks (shown above), the Commonwealth Bank (other than Central Banking), three State Banks, branches of three foreign banks, and two other banks. Comparable figures for the Commonwealth Bank are not available prior to September, 1945.

† Since January, 1949, technical changes by certain banks in method of compilation have had the effect of reducing deposits (not bearing interest) and advances by like amounts (the amounts in months of change were approximately £gm. in January and £2.6m. in July, 1949).

‡ In Major Private Trading Banks, the increase after June, 1947, consists mainly of short-term loans from central bank.

§ Not available.

No. 81.—Trading Banks—Deposits and Advances in New South Wales.*

Average of Weekly Figures.

Month.	MAJOR PRIVATE TRADING BANKS.				ALL TRADING BANKS.			
	Deposits.			Advances etc.	Deposits.			Advances etc.
	Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
£ million.								
1946-- June ...	163·1	74·1	237·2	90·6	†	†	†	†
1947-- " ...	174·6	69·7	244·3	116·5	†	†	†	†
1948-- " ...	197·5	67·9	265·4	142·9	†	†	†	†
1949-- " ...	228·1	73·2	301·3	150·4	273·9	84·6	358·5	208·6
1950-- " ...	311·8	82·2	394·0	166·2	369·5	101·2	470·7	242·0
1951-- " ...	386·0	81·9	467·9	197·9	462·9	98·7	561·6	288·0
1951-- Jan. ...	361·9	81·5	443·4	183·7	429·2	99·1	528·3	270·3
Feb. ...	380·1	81·4	461·5	193·1	454·5	98·7	553·2	280·9
Mar. ...	408·4	81·3	489·7	200·0	490·8	98·6	589·4	286·9
April ...	412·1	82·3	494·4	191·4	492·8	99·4	592·2	278·6
May ...	407·6	82·8	490·4	190·3	488·6	100·0	588·6	278·7
June ...	386·0	81·9	467·9	197·9	462·9	98·7	561·6	288·0
July ...	374·1	81·9	456·0	201·9	449·8	98·0	547·8	294·3
Aug. ...	370·9	82·5	453·4	206·5	445·6	99·0	544·6	299·6
Sept. ...	366·7	80·0	446·7	219·1	440·8	95·8	536·6	313·1
Oct. ...	367·5	78·6	446·1	230·9	442·8	94·5	537·3	326·4
Nov. ...	369·1	77·3	446·4	243·9	444·2	93·3	537·5	341·0
Dec. ...	385·3	77·4	462·7	249·5	465·6	93·6	559·2	346·1
1952-- Jan. ...	377·1	76·0	453·1	252·7	455·0	92·4	547·4	350·1
Feb. ...	378·2	74·2	452·4	259·6	459·1	91·3	550·4	357·2
Mar. ...	380·9	72·6	453·5	262·2	461·5	91·3	552·8	360·1

* Since January, 1949, technical changes by certain banks in method of compilation have had the effect of reducing deposits (not bearing interest) and advances by like amounts (the amounts in months of change were £5·8m. in January and £0·7m. in July, 1949). † Comparable figures are not available.

No. 82.—Savings Banks in New South Wales and Australia.

Period	New South Wales.				Australia.
	Transactions in Period.			Depositors' Balances. ↑	Depositors' Balances. ↑
	Deposits. *	Interest Credited.	Withdrawals. *		
£thousand.					
Year ended 30th June—					
1941	66,567	1,578	62,754	87,750	252,231
1942	81,633	1,540	76,385	94,538	274,275
1943	102,235	1,927	76,294	122,406	357,995
1944	131,405	2,558	93,501	162,868	471,530
1945	141,706	3,203	109,573	198,203	566,964
1946	191,112	3,801	156,874	236,242	663,554
1947	158,994	4,054	167,922	231,368	660,015
1948	160,875	3,991	159,270	236,964	681,318
1949	171,622	4,062	168,165	244,483	714,219
1950	201,479	4,208	191,206	258,874	762,087
1951	253,473	4,405	232,286	284,466	837,444
1949—Mar. Qtr.	42,956		40,598	240,282	696,336
June „	43,545		43,227	244,483	714,219
Sept. „	46,611		44,969	246,125	723,228
Dec. „	51,163		48,269	249,019	732,127
1950—Mar. Qtr.	52,236		48,622	252,633	741,830
June „	51,664		49,436	258,874	762,087
Sept. „	55,180		54,358	259,696	766,455
Dec. „	56,697		56,251	260,142	769,224
1951—Mar. Qtr.	77,089‡		58,550	278,681‡	817,849‡
June „	64,712		63,127	284,466	837,444
Sept. „	66,751		62,335	288,882	852,392
Dec. „	68,154		63,835	293,201	862,881
1952—Mar. Qtr.	64,904		60,392	297,713	873,856

* Interstate transfers have been included as deposits and withdrawals since 1st July, 1941. † At end of period.

† War Gratuities were credited to many Accounts in March, 1951.

Savings Certificates.*—The net amounts of Savings Certificates outstanding were as follows:

At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.	At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.	At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.
£ thousand.			£ thousand.			£ thousand.		
1940 ...	2,440	6,100	1944 ...	15,600	43,721	1948 ...	25,719	64,483
1941 ...	6,480	17,380	1945 ...	19,173	52,534	1949 ...	25,081	62,198
1942 ...	9,485	26,171	1946 ...	20,013	54,677	1950 ...	22,330	55,025
1943 ...	12,539	35,146	1947 ...	21,983	59,526	1951 ...	19,088	48,115

* Sales of certificates were discontinued after 31st January, 1949.

No. 83.—Trading Banks—Debits to Customers' Accounts, N.S.W.

(Excluding accounts of Australian Governments at city banks).

Month.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1951-52.	Year ended June.	Index.
Weekly Averages—£million.							(a) Bank Clearings (1936-37 to 1938-39 = 100).	
July ...	56.3	66.6	79.2	91.2	121.3	159.3	1939	101
August ...	51.8	60.6	71.0	80.9	109.2	141.9	1940	110
September ...	57.1	64.4	77.4	88.0	126.3	153.0	1941	120
October ...	57.2	67.8	81.5	99.0	135.5	163.0	1942	130
November ...	58.1	72.5	82.0	107.9	147.9	170.5	1943	149
December ...	59.4	71.0	87.7	112.2	158.0	175.9	1944	162
January ...	51.9	59.6	74.8	96.8	131.6	146.2	1945	164
February ...	58.5	72.1	83.5	108.7	161.1	155.3	1946	177
March ...	59.9	68.6	83.9	118.6	160.0	152.1	1947	220
April ...	59.8	69.7	82.5	108.8	161.1	153.3	(b) Debits to Customers' Accounts (1946-47 = 100).	
May ...	62.8	75.0	92.8	122.6	167.3	155.9	1947	100
June ...	64.3	82.0	97.3	121.2	168.2	...	1948	119
Year ...	58.1	69.4	83.1	104.9	145.1	...	1949	143
							1950	181
							1951	249

Statistics of "debits" refer to all trading banks operating in New South Wales (excluding Central Banking business of the Commonwealth Bank) and were first collected in September, 1945.

In issues of the "Statistical Bulletin" prior to No. 282, trends in the amount of payments made by cheque were illustrated by use of statistics of inter-bank clearings, Sydney (including all accounts of Australian Governments). The comparability of these statistics was affected by the amalgamation of two major banks from 1st October, 1951.

No. 84.—Australian Note Issue—Notes held by Public.

Month.	Average of Weekly Figures.							
	1938-39.*	1944-45.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
£thousand.								
July ...	31,137	176,661	168,104	180,624	183,309	173,451	187,465	203,460
August ...	32,198	180,051	168,226	180,809	184,775	173,300	187,398	204,899
September ...	32,839	181,426	169,652	180,531	180,221	173,246	188,829	206,889
October ...	32,468	183,080	171,688	180,395	174,576	173,922	190,081	208,400
November ...	32,612	182,011	173,413	179,910	173,604	174,814	191,518	210,543
December ...	39,055	181,392	178,261	182,680	177,467	180,862	199,987	218,945
January ...	33,759	179,055	176,361	178,518	172,101	178,781	194,638	219,108
February ...	32,378	176,512	177,336	178,691	170,837	178,644	194,115	220,394
March ...	32,709	174,429	178,584	170,582	173,486	180,988	196,148	229,450
April ...	33,166	170,469	181,385	181,976	173,640	184,321	200,560	231,054
May ...	32,390	168,850	180,168	181,195	172,306	183,597	199,262	234,676
June ...	32,701	169,715	182,043	182,229	173,128	186,193	201,949	238,580
Year ended June	33,118	176,997	175,391	180,661	175,846	178,649	194,272	218,742

* At last Monday in month.

No. 85.—Life Assurances in New South Wales.

Period.	Ordinary.		Industrial.		Total Sum Assured.	Ordinary.		Industrial.		Total Sum Assured.
	Policies.	Sum Assured.	Policies.	Sum Assured.		Policies.	Sum Assured.	Policies.	Sum Assured.	
New Policies Issued.										
Year*—	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.
1939	50,520	18,180	156,787	7,539	25,719	421,219	153,272	962,499	43,202	196,474
1944	51,278	21,038	110,560	7,062	28,100	544,475	199,290	1,221,480	59,059	258,349
1945	53,927	23,999	109,862	7,513	31,512	577,398	215,733	1,265,696	63,041	278,774
1946	81,677	38,078	128,266	9,803	47,881	632,307	243,419	1,308,385	68,076	311,495
1947	98,149	43,269	115,181	10,241	53,510	694,738	271,782	1,342,030	73,272	345,054
1948	99,282	47,956	115,336	11,076	59,032	756,782	304,734	1,375,788	78,947	383,681
1949	94,665	49,357	113,568	11,332	60,689	811,919	337,388	1,402,907	84,404	421,792
1950	98,015	58,666	106,754	11,136	69,802	867,042	376,763	1,420,680	89,372	466,135

New Policies issued (monthly).

Month—	1951.					1952.				
	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.
January ...	5,291	3,268	3,423	379	3,647	5,893	3,880	3,328	408	4,288
February ...	5,833	4,073	7,893	876	4,949	6,911	4,814	8,074	1,021	5,835
March ...	7,597	5,364	8,164	914	6,278	8,301	5,837	11,415	1,514	7,351
April ...	7,760	5,608	8,788	992	6,600					
May ...	8,704	6,689	8,294	946	7,635					
June ...	9,808	8,400	8,140	939	9,339					
July ...	7,575	6,866	10,214	1,193	8,059					
August ...	9,492	7,564	8,226	984	8,548					
September ...	9,989	7,089	10,731	1,333	8,422					
October ...	10,050	7,693	9,517	1,192	8,885					
November ...	11,265	7,407	8,262	1,046	8,453					
December ...	11,322	10,534	6,126	778	11,312					
Year ...	104,686	80,555	97,778	11,572	92,127					
March Quarter	18,721	12,795	19,480	2,169	14,874	21,105	14,531	22,817	2,943	17,474

* The annual data supplied by each company relate to its financial year (ended mainly in September or December of year specified).

No. 86.—Real Estate Transactions—New South Wales.

(Registered under Real Property Act or Registration of Deeds Act.)

Period.	Conveyances and Transfers.		Mortgages.	Month.	Conveyances and Transfers.			Mortgages.		
					1949-50.	1950-51.	1951-52.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1951-52.
Year ended 30th June—	N.	£thous.	£thous.		£thousand.					
1939 ...	50,295	35,272	25,068	July ...	7,022	15,240	20,955	3,816	8,870	7,409
1945 ...	43,521	23,350	7,611	August ...	6,711	15,021	20,742	4,200	5,380	7,088
1946 ...	60,734	35,660	13,950	September ...	8,097	15,813	17,064	4,010	5,153	5,494
1947 ...	87,532	57,899	25,046	October ...	7,197	13,941	15,406	4,495	4,938	8,235
1948 ...	79,694	60,202	30,924	November ...	11,210	13,240	15,716	3,892	6,556	8,537
1949 ...	86,201	62,229	32,518	December ...	9,607	15,623	12,775	6,543	4,244	4,830
1950 ...	105,589	125,952	57,382	January ...	9,346	17,300	12,676	3,555	6,232	7,330
1951 ...	108,732	192,311	70,600	February ...	10,314	15,778	13,659	4,187	6,079	5,972
July-May—				March ...	12,896	14,979	13,470	4,644	5,605	5,742
1950-51 ...	99,494	173,367	64,597	April ...	11,211	14,735	12,220	3,558	5,901	4,875
1951-52 ...	89,343	168,182	71,872	May ...	17,212	21,697	13,499	9,802	5,619	6,360
				June ...	15,129	18,944	...	4,679	6,003	...

No. 87.—Stock Exchange Index (Sydney).

The following index of the values of the principal Company shares on Sydney Stock Exchange embraces the ordinary shares of companies (excluding banking companies) whose business is conducted wholly or largely in New South Wales.

The prices of individual shares are unweighted, and each group average is the mean of the average monthly prices per £1 of paid-up capital. The aggregate index is the average of all the shares included in the groups with the addition of 24 miscellaneous shares. There is no base period as the index represents the ratio per cent. of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values, adjustment being made where capital is written off or bonus shares are issued.

Average for Period.	23 Manufacturing and Distributing Companies.	10 Retail Companies.	8 Public Utility Companies.	5 Pastoral and Finance Companies.	5 Insurance Companies.	Total 75 Companies.*	34 Active Shares included in foregoing.
Year ended June—							
1939 ...	208.1	175.3	170.9	122.2	258.8	175.6	182.0
1946 ...	262.9	223.5	181.2	154.4	287.3	210.2	226.7
1947 ...	304.8	277.9	195.7	164.4	347.6	240.0	256.0
1948 ...	347.2	312.6	185.0	178.6	403.5	262.6	274.0
1949 ...	350.4	300.8	168.1	180.3	438.6	258.2	267.1
1950 ...	367.3	301.2	157.2	197.3	514.8	270.0	275.5
1951 ...	467.3	363.1	164.5	280.0	668.2	334.1	333.3
Month—							
1951—April ...	509.0	393.1	172.0	309.6	707.6	356.1	352.0
May ...	527.5	397.7	177.2	307.8	734.2	365.7	360.4
June ...	529.8	397.6	167.3	301.6	757.1	366.6	357.0
July ...	523.6	393.3	166.6	287.7	775.3	363.1	351.4
August ...	499.6	377.9	160.6	281.4	788.6	350.1	335.8
September ...	475.2	358.5	154.0	260.8	779.6	333.6	318.6
October ...	462.2	341.7	157.0	266.0	770.7	326.2	316.4
November ...	444.4	319.7	156.0	249.6	754.7	313.2	302.2
December ...	426.2	303.6	153.5	232.5	743.7	301.4	290.7
1952—January ...	419.3	301.5	153.3	227.2	732.6	296.6	286.5
February ...	395.0	282.8	152.0	213.6	702.3	281.9	270.3
March ...	382.1	276.0	149.4	205.2	635.8	271.9	262.3
April ...	353.6	263.6	148.9	193.5	598.0	257.7	248.0
May ...	363.1	262.6	150.1	194.5	584.0	260.1	253.5

* Including 24 Miscellaneous Companies.

No. 88.—Company Registrations in New South Wales.

Period.	New Local Companies Registered.							Foreign Companies Registered.	Increases of Capital, Companies Limited by Shares.		
	Limited by Shares.				No Liability.		Limited by Guarantee.				
	Number.		Nominal Capital.		No.	Nominal Capital.		No.	No.	No.	Nominal Amount.
	Proprietary.	Other.	Proprietary.	Other.							
			£thous.	£thous.		£thous.				£thous.	
Year ended 31st December.											
1939	...	811	34	12,841	3,268	2	120	27	74	99	5,977
1946	...	1,535	14	21,926	2,477	1	10	26	66	169	7,216
1947	...	1,601	20	34,066	2,480	1	25	35	88	296	23,163
1948	...	1,534	39	36,519	11,600	4	260	27	109	296	30,437
1949	...	1,022	38	29,113	21,617	2	105	26	86	317	35,259
1950	...	1,345	63	40,022	33,321	2	40	36	117	523	83,728
1951	...	1,716	94	102,654	32,811	1	100	23	92	512	103,611
Year ended 30th June.											
1947	...	1,742	4	28,162	170	1	10	29	84	231	16,547
1948	...	1,618	38	35,943	7,544	3	75	35	101	276	22,844
1949	...	1,202	36	31,057	12,028	2	210	21	97	330	39,541
1950	...	1,164	40	34,446	21,231	3	135	29	104	339	53,045
1951	...	1,560	87	60,481	45,520	2	110	30	113	653	110,734

* Foreign companies are those with original registration outside New South Wales.

No. 89.—Employment in New South Wales—Wage and Salary Earners in Civil Employment, Governmental and Private.

(1) The estimates shown below are based on the Census of 1933 and subsequent quasi-censuses (*e.g.*, Civilian Register, 1943, and Occupation Survey, 1945), and returns supplied monthly by governmental authorities and since July, 1941, by employers for purposes of Commonwealth Pay-roll Tax. (2) The number of employees recorded on Pay-roll Tax returns relates to those whose names appeared on the last pay-roll of the month irrespective of whether they were actually working at the end of the month. (3) Working proprietors, wage earners in rural industry, females in private domestic service, members of full-time defence forces at home or abroad, National Service Trainees in camp, and Government "relief" workers are not included.

The figures in Tables 89 and 90 are published as reasonably reliable estimates with the following qualifications:—

- (a) Investigation now proceeding may show the need for some revision in the monthly aggregates. It is not anticipated, however, that any such revision will affect the trends shown by the figures in Table 89. Some revision will be necessary in the totals and trends in employment for individual industries (particularly manufacturing) in Table 90. Estimates of employment by various classes of factory have been discontinued for the present.
- (b) Owing to the time incidence of call-ups for short periods of National Service Training since August, 1951, and in a lesser degree to enlistments in the permanent and/or oversea forces, some aspects of the changes in numbers of total Civilian Employees cannot be understood unless considered in conjunction with changes in numbers of defence personnel who are omitted from the figures in Tables 89 and 90, *viz.*, (i) members of the full-time defence forces and (ii) National Service Trainees in camp. Particulars of (i) are not available for New South Wales, but the number of National Service Trainees in camp in New South Wales at the end of each month since August, 1951, was as follows:—

1951: August 3,600, September 3,600, October 3,600, November 700, December 1,000.
1952: January 4,200, February 4,400, and March 4,500.

Month.	Males.			Females.			Persons.		
	Government.*	Private.	Total.	Government.*	Private.	Total.	Government.*	Private.	Total.
thousands.									
1933—June ...	103·2	277·4	380·6	16·8	109·0	125·8	120·0	386·4	506·4
1939—July ...	136·5	393·4	529·9	19·4	148·6	168·0	155·9	542·0	697·9
1941—July ...	141·5	406·2	547·7	21·7	196·6	218·3	163·2	602·8	766·0
1942—July ...	158·6	377·4	536·0	29·3	208·3	237·6	187·9	585·7	773·6
1943—July ...	156·9	365·2	522·1	46·1	207·7	253·8	203·0	572·9	775·9
1944—July ...	152·4	371·8	524·2	45·4	205·6	251·0	197·8	577·4	775·2
1945—June ...	156·0	380·0	536·0	43·6	204·3	247·9	199·6	584·3	783·9
September ...	155·3	383·4	538·7	41·3	205·6	246·9	196·6	589·0	785·6
1946—June ...	169·0	449·5	618·5	33·4	208·9	242·3	202·4	658·4	860·8
December ...	172·7	474·7	647·4	31·2	219·5	250·7	203·9	694·2	898·1
1947—March ...	175·5	486·2	661·7	32·0	219·6	251·6	207·5	705·8	913·3
June ...	178·2	493·6	671·8	32·3	219·8	252·1	210·5	713·4	923·9
September ...	180·4	503·0	683·4	32·6	224·1	256·7	213·0	727·1	940·1
December ...	181·7	506·9	688·6	32·6	228·2	260·8	214·3	735·1	949·4
1948—March ...	183·6	512·2	695·8	33·4	226·7	260·1	217·0	738·9	955·9
June ...	186·1	516·2	702·3	33·6	228·3	261·9	219·7	744·5	964·2
September ...	187·8	517·0	704·8	33·7	232·0	265·7	221·5	749·0	970·5
December ...	189·9	520·4	710·3	34·2	237·0	271·2	224·1	757·4	981·5
1949—March ...	191·4	526·1	717·5	35·2	233·9	269·1	226·6	760·0	986·6
May† ...	193·8	527·6	721·4	35·7	234·2	269·9	229·5	761·8	991·3
September ...	196·7	519·2	715·9	37·3	232·7	270·0	234·0	751·9	985·9
December ...	200·0	526·9	726·9	38·2	240·1	278·3	238·2	767·0	1,005·2
1950—March ...	201·8	534·9	736·7	38·7	240·0	278·7	240·5	774·9	1,015·4
June ...	202·7	538·1	740·8	39·1	239·4	278·5	241·8	777·5	1,019·3
September ...	204·0	540·3	744·9	39·1	242·6	281·7	243·7	782·9	1,026·6
December ...	205·8	545·6	751·4	39·7	250·1	289·8	245·5	795·7	1,041·2
1951—March ...	206·7	545·5	752·2	41·1	247·7	288·8	247·8	793·2	1,041·0
June ...	207·2	551·0	758·2	41·4	249·6	291·0	248·6	800·6	1,049·2
July ...	208·2	550·2	758·4	41·7	249·5	291·2	249·9	799·7	1,049·6
August ...	207·5	551·2	758·7	41·8	250·8	292·6	249·3	802·0	1,051·3
September ...	205·5	551·0	756·5	40·9	251·9	292·8	246·4	802·9	1,049·3
October ...	205·9	552·6	758·5	41·1	252·6	293·7	247·0	805·2	1,052·2
November ...	206·9	558·1	765·0	41·4	253·8	295·2	248·3	811·9	1,060·2
December ...	208·2	556·4	764·6	41·2	252·2	293·4	249·4	808·6	1,058·0
1952—January ...	207·8	555·0	762·8	41·6	245·6	287·2	249·4	800·6	1,050·0
February ...	209·6	554·2	763·8	42·2	245·9	285·1	251·8	797·1	1,048·9
March ...	210·5	553·6	764·1	42·1	240·3	282·4	252·6	793·9	1,046·5

* Employees of Commonwealth, State and Local Governmental Authorities and of Allied Governments.

† June, 1949, affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions.

No. 90.—Employment in New South Wales—Wage and Salary Earners in Principal Industrial Groups.

(Excluding rural, females in private domestic service, and defence forces.)

See comment at head of preceding table.

Month.	Mining and Quarrying.	Factories.*	Building and Construction.	Transport and Communication.	Finance and Property.	Wholesale Trade, etc.	Retail Trade.	Professional and Personal Services.†	Other.‡	Total Wage and Salary Earners in Civil Employment.
MALES (thousands).										
1933—June ...	18.1	94.5	55.1	65.0	.....	78.4	.....	44.2	25.3	380.6
1939—July ...	24.7	158.8	57.9	77.4	.....	59.0	.....	56.6	51.5	529.9
1941—July ...	26.0	202.1	54.0	76.8	.....	14.9	28.7	41.6	49.3	547.7
1943—July ...	25.1	217.8	30.1	70.9	.....	10.5	22.9	28.7	39.6	522.1
1945—July ...	24.7	216.6	34.2	86.0	.....	11.3	24.3	30.2	45.8	541.2
1946—July ...	25.7	239.7	45.1	97.3	.....	16.9	34.3	42.1	57.0	625.4
1947—July ...	26.7	255.7	57.0	102.7	.....	18.8	37.9	46.6	62.9	676.7
1948—July ...	28.0	265.2	61.1	107.4	.....	19.5	39.6	49.4	64.5	702.2
1949—May§ ...	27.5	269.5	64.7	111.0	.....	20.4	42.7	50.2	66.5	721.4
1950—July ...	28.3	276.8	68.1	114.7	.....	21.2	44.8	50.5	66.7	740.4
1951—Mar. ...	28.9	279.3	71.6	114.0	.....	21.7	47.5	51.0	67.6	752.2
June ...	29.6	282.4	73.1	114.1	.....	21.8	47.9	51.0	67.2	758.2
July ...	29.5	282.6	74.2	113.6	.....	21.8	47.6	51.1	66.7	758.4
Aug. ...	29.6	282.7	74.5	113.2	.....	21.8	47.9	51.2	66.7	758.7
Sept. ...	29.7	281.8	74.7	111.9	.....	21.8	48.2	50.7	66.9	756.5
Oct. ...	30.0	282.5	74.9	112.0	.....	21.8	48.7	50.8	66.9	758.5
Nov. ...	30.2	284.4	76.3	112.6	.....	21.8	50.2	51.7	66.8	765.0
Dec. ...	30.1	283.7	74.9	113.4	.....	21.9	49.6	53.2	67.0	764.6
1952—Jan. ...	30.1	283.9	74.8	114.2	.....	21.8	49.0	50.8	67.2	762.8
Feb. ...	30.6	283.6	75.7	113.9	.....	21.9	48.7	50.4	67.6	763.8
Mar. ...	30.8	282.8	75.3	114.8	.....	22.1	48.9	50.0	67.9	764.1
FEMALES (thousands).										
1933—June ...	0.1	36.3	0.3	3.7	.....	33.6	.....	49.4	2.4	125.8
1939—July ...	0.1	59.3	0.5	4.2	.....	8.5	.....	49.1	10.3	168.0
1941—July ...	0.2	76.0	0.7	8.2	.....	8.3	9.5	36.0	60.2	218.3
1943—July ...	0.2	94.6	0.7	12.9	.....	9.9	10.7	38.5	65.9	253.8
1945—July ...	0.2	85.7	0.7	14.5	.....	10.6	10.5	37.5	69.6	246.7
1946—July ...	0.2	83.1	0.9	12.9	.....	10.0	11.1	39.2	73.3	243.0
1947—July ...	0.2	86.8	1.0	12.8	.....	10.4	11.9	40.9	77.1	252.9
1948—July ...	0.3	91.1	1.1	13.8	.....	10.9	13.6	42.8	79.1	262.7
1949—May§ ...	0.3	93.5	1.1	14.6	.....	11.6	13.5	43.4	81.8	269.9
1950—July ...	0.3	97.1	1.3	15.3	.....	12.7	14.4	43.7	83.2	279.0
1951—Mar. ...	0.3	99.8	1.5	16.0	.....	13.7	16.2	45.6	84.4	288.8
June ...	0.3	102.0	1.5	16.1	.....	13.9	16.0	45.9	83.9	291.0
July ...	0.3	102.2	1.5	16.1	.....	13.9	16.0	45.7	83.8	291.2
Aug. ...	0.3	102.7	1.6	16.2	.....	14.0	16.3	45.7	84.2	292.6
Sept. ...	0.3	103.3	1.6	15.9	.....	14.0	16.5	45.4	84.5	292.8
Oct. ...	0.3	103.5	1.6	16.1	.....	14.1	16.7	45.9	84.5	293.7
Nov. ...	0.3	102.5	1.6	16.4	.....	14.2	17.0	47.4	84.7	295.2
Dec. ...	0.3	100.1	1.6	16.2	.....	14.2	16.7	48.7	84.3	293.4
1952—Jan. ...	0.3	96.3	1.7	16.2	.....	14.6	16.6	45.7	84.2	287.2
Feb. ...	0.3	94.5	1.7	16.3	.....	14.6	16.4	44.7	84.9	285.1
Mar. ...	0.3	92.3	1.7	16.1	.....	14.7	16.6	44.1	85.0	282.4
PERSONS (thousands).										
1933—June ...	18.2	130.8	55.4	68.7	.....	112.0	.....	93.6	27.7	506.4
1939—July ...	24.8	218.1	58.4	81.6	.....	67.5	.....	105.7	61.8	697.9
1941—July ...	26.2	278.1	54.7	85.0	.....	23.2	38.2	82.6	109.5	766.0
1943—July ...	25.3	312.4	30.8	92.8	.....	20.4	33.6	67.2	105.5	775.9
1945—July ...	24.9	302.3	34.9	100.5	.....	21.9	34.8	67.7	115.4	85.5
1946—July ...	25.9	322.8	46.0	110.2	.....	26.9	45.4	81.3	130.3	868.4
1947—July ...	26.9	342.5	58.0	115.5	.....	29.2	49.8	87.5	140.0	929.6
1948—July ...	28.3	356.3	62.2	121.2	.....	30.4	53.2	92.2	143.6	964.9
1949—May§ ...	27.8	363.0	65.8	125.6	.....	32.0	56.2	93.6	148.3	991.3
1950—July ...	28.6	373.9	69.4	130.0	.....	33.9	59.2	94.2	149.9	1,019.4
1951—Mar. ...	29.2	379.1	73.1	130.0	.....	35.4	63.7	96.6	152.0	1,041.0
June ...	29.9	384.4	74.6	130.2	.....	35.7	63.9	96.9	151.1	1,049.2
July ...	29.8	384.8	75.7	129.7	.....	35.7	63.6	96.8	150.5	1,049.6
Aug. ...	29.9	385.4	76.1	129.4	.....	35.8	64.2	96.9	150.9	1,051.3
Sept. ...	30.0	385.1	76.3	127.8	.....	35.8	64.7	96.1	151.4	1,049.3
Oct. ...	30.3	386.0	76.5	128.1	.....	35.9	65.4	96.7	151.4	1,052.2
Nov. ...	30.5	386.9	77.9	129.0	.....	36.0	67.2	99.1	151.5	1,060.2
Dec. ...	30.4	383.8	76.5	129.6	.....	36.1	66.3	101.9	151.3	1,058.0
1952—Jan. ...	30.4	380.2	76.5	130.4	.....	36.4	65.6	96.5	151.4	1,050.0
Feb. ...	30.9	378.1	77.4	130.2	.....	36.5	65.1	95.1	152.5	1,048.9
Mar. ...	31.1	375.1	77.0	130.9	.....	36.8	65.5	94.1	152.9	1,046.5

* Excluding working proprietors. From July, 1949, subject to revision. Employment in factories according to class of industry is shown in Table 30.

† Education, Health, Law, Hotels, Restaurants and other Professional and Personal Services.

‡ Governmental employees not classifiable in any industrial group shown, New Australians temporarily employed by Defence Authorities, and persons engaged in Forestry, Fishing and Trapping, and in Workshops not classified as factories.

§ June and July, 1949, affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions.

No. 91. Basic Wage—Sydney, Adult Males.

Month of Change.	s. per week.	Month of Change.	s. per week.	Month of Change.	s. per week.	Month of Change.	s. per week.
1939—June ...	82	1943—Feb. ...	98	1946—Aug. ...	100	1950—Feb. ...	135
Sept. ...	81	May ...	98	Nov. ...	101	May ...	138
Dec. ...	82	Aug. ...	100	Dec.* ...	108	Aug. ...	142
1940—Feb. ...	82	Nov. ...	99	1947—Feb. ...	108	Nov. ...	146
May ...	83	1944—Feb. ...	99	May ...	110	Dec.* ...	165
Aug. ...	85	May ...	99	Aug. ...	110	1951—Feb. ...	173
Nov. ...	85	Aug. ...	99	Nov. ...	112	May ...	180
1941—Feb. ...	88	Nov. ...	99	1948—Feb. ...	114	Aug. ...	193
May ...	88	1945—Feb. ...	99	May ...	116	Nov. ...	207
Aug. ...	89	May ...	98	Aug. ...	120	1952—Feb. ...	216
Nov. ...	89	Aug. ...	98	Nov. ...	122	May ...	223
1942—Feb. ...	91	Nov. ...	99	1949—Feb. ...	124		
May ...	93	1946—Feb. ...	99	May ...	127		
Aug. ...	95	May ...	99	Aug. ...	130		
Nov. ...	97			Nov. ...	132		

* As a result of judgments of the Commonwealth Arbitration Court, special increases were awarded: in December, 1946, 7s. and in December, 1950, 19s.

Female Wages.—The minimum wage per week payable (Sydney) to adult females was:—

1950: Dec. 123s. 6d.

1951: Feb. 129s. 6d.

1952: Feb. 162s. od.

May 135s. od.

May 167s. od.

Aug. 144s. 6d.

Nov. 155s. od.

No. 92.—Retail Price Index-Numbers—All Items, "C" Series.
Sydney.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

Base of each section: Weighted average of six capital cities, 1923-27 = 1,000.

Quarter.	Food and Groceries	Rent— 4 and 5 Rooms.	Clothing.	Miscellaneous Items.	All Items.	
					Index.	Percentage increase since September Qtr., 1939.
1939—September ...	930	1,039	841	939	933	...
1940—September ...	945	1,042	948	996	973	4
1941—September ...	947	1,043	1,129	1,062	1,027	10
1942—September ...	1,061	1,042	1,337	1,105	1,122	20
1943—March* ...	1,050	1,042	1,408	1,145	1,141	22
June† ...	1,065	1,042	1,479	1,162	1,165	25
1944—September ...	1,035	1,043	1,437	1,167	1,146	23
1945—September ...	1,042	1,043	1,412	1,163	1,142	22
1946—March ...	1,035	1,043	1,463	1,167	1,151	23
June ...	1,042	1,043	1,510	1,171	1,165	25
September ...	1,032	1,043	1,537	1,168	1,167	25
December ...	1,047	1,043	1,555	1,175	1,177	26
1947—March ...	1,097	1,044	1,532	1,186	1,192	28
June ...	1,096	1,044	1,540	1,187	1,194	28
September ...	1,109	1,044	1,579	1,244	1,218	30
December ...	1,139	1,045	1,639	1,245	1,242	33
1948—March ...	1,192	1,046	1,674	1,247	1,270	36
June ...	1,235	1,046	1,748	1,267	1,305	40
September ...	1,279	1,047	1,811	1,279	1,337	43
December ...	1,326	1,047	1,831	1,279	1,359	46
1949—March ...	1,350	1,048	1,891	1,334	1,391	49
June ...	1,384	1,048	1,980	1,347	1,425	53
September ...	1,395	1,049	2,054	1,385	1,452	56
December ...	1,421	1,049	2,161	1,389	1,486	59
1950—March ...	1,459	1,049	2,190	1,435	1,515	62
June ...	1,518	1,049	2,307	1,446	1,564	68
September ...	1,599	1,050	2,373	1,473	1,613	73
December ...	1,713	1,050	2,447	1,527	1,680	80
1951—March ...	1,826	1,051	2,541	1,565	1,749	88
June ...	1,943	1,051	2,819	1,689	1,875	101
September ...	2,226	1,053	2,900	1,753	2,007	115
December ...	2,401	1,056	2,964	1,836	2,100	125
1952—March ...	2,526	1,059	3,025	1,877	2,167	132

* Price stabilisation level.

† Wartime peak.

No. 93.—Export Price Index-Numbers—Australia.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

These index-numbers are compiled from the prices of 20 commodities which normally constitute about 80 per cent. of all exports. For some metals and for wheat (since July, 1945) the index of prices is deduced from the average value of current sales or shipments and hence shows some irregularity. In this index the prices of the commodities are weighted by the average annual exports (production in the case of gold) during the three years, 1933-34 to 1935-36.

(Base of each section: Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100.)

Period.	Wool.	Wheat.	Butter.	Metals. *	Meats. †	Gold.	All Groups‡ (including Gold).
§ ...	45·63	17·06	11·36	6·83	6·63	6·98	100·00
Year ended June.							
1938-39 ...	79	66	101	84	96	103	83
1939-40 ...	98	82	108	92	102	118	98
1940-41 ...	101	102	110	95	103	121	104
1941-42 ...	101	105	110	101	109	120	106
1942-43 ...	117	106	114	100	112	119	114
1943-44 ...	117	116	114	113	113	119	117
1944-45 ...	117	154	147	129	122	120	130
1945-46 ...	117	213	147	196	123	122	146
1946-47 ...	173	305	173	308	139	122	203
1947-48 ...	287	420	193	372	146	122	283
1948-49 ...	365	413	233	478	171	122	332
1949-50 ...	473	400	250	421	196	164	383
1950-51 ...	999	432	271	689	209	176	654
Month.							
1945—September ...	116	170	147	180	123	122	137
1946—March ...	116	242	147	218	123	122	153
June ...	116	250	147	230	123	122	155
September ...	158	265	173	272	123	122	184
December ...	174	288	173	296	145	122	199
1947—March ...	196	346	173	326	145	122	223
June ...	196	354	173	352	145	122	226
September ...	249	386	173	352	145	122	255
December ...	273¶	401	204	359	145	122	275
1948—March ...	302¶	456	204	379	145	122	298
June ...	362	475	204	425	155	122	333
September ...	355	449	233	438	155	122	329
December ...	400	418	233	481	176	122	350
1949—March ...	411¶	379	233	535	176	122	353
June ...	339	365	233	449	176	122	311
September ...	339	377	250	388	186	144	314
December ...	456	394	250	427	200	176	375
1950—March ...	524	420	250	411	200	176	411
June ...	592	435	250	494	200	176	450
September ...	890	419	271	675	205	176	599
December ...	973	437	271	700	208	176	643
1951—January ...	1,252	430	271	713	208	176	771
February ...	1,339	423	271	714	208	176	811
March ...	1,437	428	271	739	208	176	860
April ...	1,094	443	271	774	208	176	708
May ...	973	445	271	771	219	176	653
June ...	717	447	271	751	219	176	535
July ...	717¶	449	291	842	237	176	544
August ...	551¶	452	291	842	237	176	468¶
September ...	498¶	445	291	862	237	176	445¶
October ...	686¶	416	291	869	271	176	529¶
November ...	603¶	416	291	835	271	176	489¶
December ...	581¶	416	291	860	271	189**	481:
1952—January ...	566¶	416	291	825	271	193**	474¶
February ...	520¶	416	291	827	271	196**	453¶
March ...	460¶	416	291	817	273	193**	424¶

* Non-ferrous—Silver, Copper, Tin, Spelter, Lead.

† Beef, Lamb, Mutton, Pork.

‡ Including, in addition to groups shown, Sugar, Dried Fruits, Tallow and Hides (proportionate weight, 5·51 per cent).

§ Percentage distribution of base aggregate for "All Groups".

¶ Nominal.

|| Subject to revision.

** The price used in the index since 14th December, 1951, is the price of industrial gold on overseas premium markets.

No. 94.—Wholesale Price Index-Numbers—Basic Materials and Foodstuffs.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

The price quotations in the main have been obtained directly from manufacturers and dealers, and, with a few important exceptions, from **Melbourne** sources. Apart from home-produced building materials, coal and one or two minor commodities, however, the price movements may be taken as representative of fluctuations in wholesale prices of basic materials in most Australian markets. The weighting system adopted is based on average annual consumption during the years 1928-29 to 1934-35 inclusive.

From August, 1950, to 30th June, 1951, a bounty was paid on raw wool purchased for local manufacture. The effective price, that is the open market (auction room) price less bounty, has been used in calculating the index number in this table.

(Base: Average 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100.)

Period.	Basic Materials.							Foodstuffs and Tobacco.	Basic Materials and Foodstuffs.		
	Metals and Coal.	Oils, Fats and Waxes.	Textiles, †	Chem- icals.	Rubber and Hides.	Building Materials.	Total. ‡		Goods Principally Imported. *	Goods Principally Home Produced. ‡	Total. ‡
Year ended June.											
1938-39 ...	103	100	82	101	92	97	99	103	99	102	101
1944-45 ...	131	168	152	143	140	175	152	131	182	123	141
1945-46 ...	130	156	152	142	140	177	149	135	178	126	141
1946-47 ...	132	145	101	140	131	180	149	138	177	129	143
1947-48 ...	146	161	283	148	126	190	166	153	192	145	159
1948-49 ...	185	173	342	159	130	198	188	175	201	173	181
1949-50 ...	214	184	434	187	143	225	214	198	223	198	205
1950-51 ...	256	196	641	243	292	268	264	232	256	242	246
Month.											
1945—Sept. ...	130	157	151	141	140	176	149	135	179	126	142
1946—June ...	130	152	154	142	140	178	148	137	177	128	142
1947—June ...	135	145	214	141	117	184	151	144	182	133	147
1948—June ...	157	166	340	153	134	194	176	159	196	154	167
1949—June ...	197	175	320	162	125	202	192	180	199	180	186
1950—June ...	219	190	525	201	183	245	230	217	238	217	223
1950—July ...	222	190	530	230	177	245	234	214	236	218	223
Aug. ...	224	190	558	232	191	245	237	220	240	222	227
Sept. ...	227	190	543	236	220	245	239	220	242	222	228
Oct. ...	238	190	544	236	275	246	245	221	247	225	232
Nov. ...	246	190	588	236	305	254	253	225	250	232	237
Dec. ...	256	190	596	239	338	255	258	220	255	230	237
1951—Jan. ...	258	190	772	240	338	262	271	220	256	238	243
Feb. ...	266	195	836	251	347	279	283	228	264	249	253
Mar. ...	280	202	907	252	362	280	294	246	269	268	268
Apr. ...	280	208	703	252	329	296	286	240	268	258	261
May ...	289	208	634	252	322	296	285	251	268	266	266
June ...	289	208	479	254	304	311	278	276	272	279	277
July ...	288	209	490	301	301	314	283	283	271	289	283
Aug. ...	308	209	604	301	351	316	299	292	274	304	295
Sept. ...	314	212	566	305	348	320	301	282	276	297	291
Oct. ...	320	213	698	305	347	344	315	266	282	291	288
Nov. ...	341†	223	633	307	323	362	324	261	289	290	290
Dec. ...	344†	223	616	313	271	364	322†	270	286	298	294
1952—Jan. ...	346	223	605	313	270	365	323	264	286	293	291
Feb. ...	363	223	560	316	264	394	332	278	295	306	302
Mar. ...	366	223	504	326	261	394	330	287	295	312	306
Apr. ...	370	223	517	327	262	395	332	292	296	317	310

* Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the wholesale price index. This index does not measure changes in price of imports generally. † Revised.

‡ The four groups of index-numbers affected by the price of wool are shown below as calculated on the basis of the open market (auction room) price of raw wool.

Month.	Textiles.	Total Basic Materials.	Goods Principally Home Produced.	Total, All Groups.
1950—August ...	737	247	229	232
September ...	752	250	230	234
October ...	753	257	233	237
November ...	797	265	240	243
December ...	805	270	238	243
1951—January ...	996	283	246	249
February ...	1,060	296	257	259
March ...	1,131	307	276	274
April ...	927	299	267	267
May ...	848	297	273	272
June ...	688	290	287	282

No. 95.—Statistical Summary—New South Wales.

Particulars.	Calendar or Financial Year.						
	1923.	1928.	1933.	1938.	1943.	1948.	1951.
Population (Mean).							
Males thous.	1,123	1,255	1,319	1,374	1,431	1,516	1,671
Females thous.	1,079	1,205	1,283	1,349	1,427	1,514	1,648
Persons thous.	2,202	2,460	2,602	2,723	2,858	3,030	3,319
Vital Statistics.							
Births (Live) No.	54,069	54,791	44,195	47,319	57,265	67,234	72,069
Deaths No.	21,048	22,657	22,322	26,105	28,870	30,403	31,932
Marriages No.	17,523	20,076	18,399	24,579	26,302	30,164	30,341
Birth Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	24.56	22.27	16.99	17.38	20.04	22.19	21.72
Death Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	9.56	9.21	8.58	9.59	10.10	10.04	9.62
Marriage Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	7.96	8.16	7.07	9.03	9.20	9.96	9.14
Divorces made Absolute No.	729	913	1,008	1,424	1,828	3,277	3,303
Employment.							
Persons in Employment (other than defence, working proprietors, rural workers and female domestics in private households)—			1933—June.	1939—July.	1944—June.	1949—May.	1951—June.
Males thous.	*	*	380	530	524	721	758
Females thous.	*	*	126	168	251	270	291
Persons thous.	*	*	506	698	775	991	1,049
Production.	1923-24.	1928-29.	1933-34.	1938-39.	1943-44.	1948-49.	1950-51.
Net Value of Production—							
Rural £ thous.	66,500†	68,079	55,826	50,161	88,608	174,942	395,658‡
Other Primary £ thous.	13,500†	13,963	8,934	13,377	20,184	38,821	53,353
Total Primary £ thous.	80,000†	82,042	64,760	63,538	108,792	213,763	449,011‡
Factories £ thous.	55,661	73,627	54,042	90,266	162,726	251,199	366,168
All Recorded Industries £ thous.	135,661†	155,669	118,802	153,804	271,518	464,962	815,179‡
Agriculture—							
Total Area under Crop thous. acres	4,810	5,443	6,284	7,049	4,797	5,711	4,761
Gross Value of All Crops to Producers £ thous.	17,668	19,356	14,302	18,459	32,750	53,887	45,565‡
Wheat (grain)—Area thous. acres	2,945	4,090	4,584	4,651	2,693	4,038	3,328
Yield thous. bshl.	33,171	49,257	57,057	59,898	47,500	64,704	43,273
Av. per Acre bshl.	11.3	12.0	12.4	12.9	17.6	16.0	13.0
Pastoral, Dairying, etc.—							
Sheep (at 31st March) thous.	41,294	50,185	52,104	48,877	56,337	50,404	54,111
Cattle (at 31st March) thous.	2,932	2,785	3,362	2,812	3,143	3,253	3,703
Horses (at 31st March) thous.	657	567	532	531	466	358	328
Pigs (at 31st March) thous.	323	312	367	377	561	375	317
Wool (as in the grease) thous. lb.	303,032	482,920	484,390	437,141	537,410	463,208	492,130
Value at Place of Production £ thous.	28,209	30,879	29,951	17,076	31,703	86,457	290,262
Butter thous. lb.	72,667	96,244	148,868	118,821	92,357	78,792	80,932
Cheese thous. lb.	5,913	6,339	9,073	7,486	5,525	5,581	6,631
Bacon and Ham thous. lb.	19,052	23,087	21,092	22,158	30,337	27,088	25,282
Minerals Won—Quantity—							
Gold oz. fine	18,833	12,831	29,252	88,698	63,779	52,164	51,793||
Silver-lead ore, etc. tons	241,761	247,847	225,445	317,230	249,484	228,590	220,046||
Zinc (inc. concentrates) tons	426,049	314,864	230,952	265,296	283,964	259,260	257,040||
Coal thous. tons	10,479	9,448	7,118	9,571	11,473	11,721	12,798
Minerals Won—Value—							
Gold £ thous.	80	55	226	781	666	561	639||
Silver-lead ore, etc. £ thous.	2,941	2,491	1,779	3,282	3,723	16,644	14,308||
Zinc (inc. concentrates) £ thous.	1,412	1,119	284	231	782	2,614	3,439||
Coal £ thous.	8,608	8,264	4,307	5,604	9,789	14,938	22,121
Factories—	1923-24.	1928-29.	1933-34.	1938-39.	1943-44.	1948-49.	1950-51.
Establishments No.	7,321	8,465	7,818	9,464	10,755	16,087	17,129
Persons Employed (Average)—							
Males No.	121,845	135,773	111,599	167,172	226,824	282,312	301,307
Females No.	37,829	44,983	42,400	61,609	96,208	105,668	105,638
Salaries and Wages Paid £ thous.	29,773	38,545	25,749	44,606	93,518	146,536	211,399
Value of Plant, Buildings, etc. £ thous.	66,608	85,638	95,395	120,047	152,782	201,053	266,960
Value of Output £ thous.	146,359	185,299	136,612	218,419	399,138	609,724	923,911
Net Value of Production—							
Industry—							
Industrial Metals, Machines £ thous.	17,277	23,072	15,296	31,691	78,525	101,617	152,038
Clothing £ thous.	5,325	6,371	4,030	6,227	10,047	21,732	29,385
Textiles £ thous.	1,370	2,426	2,584	3,553	8,102	12,832	19,921
Food, Drink and Tobacco £ thous.	9,876	13,552	11,192	16,106	21,440	32,722	41,292
All Factories £ thous.	55,661	73,627	54,042	90,266	162,726	251,199	366,168
Building.	1923.	1928.	1933.	1938.	1943.	1948.	1951.
Estimated Cost of New Buildings and Additions—							
Private Building Permits £ thous.	*	21,885‡	4,370‡	20,372‡	1,869‡	49,443	97,712
Government Building Approved Dwellings—Houses and Flats £ thous.	*	*	*	*	4,683	11,343	22,386
Approved No.	*	*	*	17,403‡	800‡	30,983	35,051

* Not available. † Approximate. ‡ Subject to revision. § Excluding Country Shires.

|| Year 1949. Comparable figures are not available for 1950.

No. 95.—Statistical Summary—New South Wales—continued.

Particulars.	Calendar or Financial Year.						
	1923-24.	1928-29.	1933-34.	1938-39.	1943-44.	1948-49.	1950-51.
Oversea Trade.							
Imports of Merchandise ...	£ thous. 52,929	57,585	28,036	49,907	112,588	177,211	301,702
Exports of Merchandise ...	£ thous. 42,620	49,083	39,362	37,687	54,079	176,609	325,573
Merchandise Imported from—							
British Countries ...	£ thous. 29,750	28,991	15,561	28,642	55,607	122,018	196,806
Foreign Countries ...	£ thous. 23,179	28,594	11,796	20,150	54,793	51,019	99,528
Merchandise Exported to—							
British Countries ...	£ thous. 18,852	18,857	17,928	21,516	40,303	103,391	128,807
Foreign Countries ...	£ thous. 23,768	30,226	21,434	16,171	13,776	73,218	196,766
Imports—Principal Items—							
Metals (inc. Manufactures) ...	£ thous. 10,009	10,007	3,482	7,621	41,324	27,254	63,823
Machinery (inc. Electrical) ...	£ thous. 5,026	6,558	2,335	7,672	11,475	23,335	41,824
Yarns, Textiles, Apparel ...	£ thous. 13,493	13,490	6,900	8,490	17,723	47,119	59,641
Petroleum Oils ...	£ thous. 2,062	3,606	1,796	3,122	7,839	13,806	21,876
Exports (Australian Produce)—							
Wool (as in the grease) ...	{ thous. lb. 245,200	382,200	376,600	379,200	196,000	487,600	460,500
£ thous. 23,271	27,378	24,255	17,221	14,659	78,554	241,275	
Wheat and Flour ...	{ thous. bus. 12,882	27,730	20,314	29,103	10,925	49,505	29,771
£ thous. 2,946	6,601	2,878	3,894	2,651	40,049	24,626	
Butter ...	{ thous. lb. 9,951	15,456	59,238	23,966	9,875	9,967	6,233
£ thous. 753	1,160	2,133	1,420	654	1,349	1,002	
Meats ...	{ thous. 1,106	1,236	1,900	1,715	5,411	5,416	4,549
£ thous. 3,619	1,820	1,847	4,401	3,766	11,117	9,123	
Metals (incl. Manufactures) ...	£ thous. 95	160	241	460	308	3,575	3,687
Machinery (incl. Electrical) ...	£ thous. 95	160	241	460	308	3,575	3,687
Prices.							
Export Prices, Australia. Index No.¶	*	117	90	83	117	332	654
Wholesale Prices, Australia (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs). Index No.¶	*	110	90	101	140	181	246
Retail Prices, Sydney. Index No.¶	1,019	1,055	836	928	1,146	1,378	1,729
Transport and Communication.							
Oversea Shipping—							
Vessels Entered ...	thous. net tons 4,230	4,413	3,960	5,037	2,127	4,307	5,106
Vessels Cleared ...	thous. net tons 4,137	4,128	4,439	4,930	2,323	4,200	4,205
Interstate Shipping—							
Vessels Entered ...	thous. net tons 4,678	4,104	4,665	6,205	2,535	3,636	3,391
Vessels Cleared ...	thous. net tons 4,849	4,404	4,297	6,302	2,708	3,623	4,506
State Railways—							
Revenue ...	£ thous. 15,617	20,416	15,690	19,946	35,301	40,463	50,248
Expenditure (inc. Interest, etc.) ...	£ thous. 15,611	21,128	18,278	21,118	34,547	42,379	56,665
Passengers Carried ...	thous. 128,101	151,116	142,520	186,720	250,566	263,116	268,567
Goods Carried ...	thous. tons 14,951	13,787	10,643	14,679	18,603	16,903	17,131
State Tramways and Omnibuses—							
Revenue ...	£ thous. 3,634	4,458	3,465	4,374	5,700	8,741	10,272
Expenditure (inc. Interest, etc.) ...	£ thous. 3,624	4,467	3,211	4,353	5,692	9,051	11,832
Surplus or Deficiency ...	£ thous. (+) 10	(-) 9	(+) 254	(-) 21	(+) 8	(-) 310	(-) 1,560
Passengers Carried ...	thous. 340,958	333,476	301,660	375,199	534,522	491,322	457,632
Regular Air Services—							
Passengers Carried ...	thous. 2†	27†	26†	59†	72	834	1,026
Motor Vehicles—							
Cars on Register, June ...	No. 46,427	162,298	155,063	213,331	178,550	232,837	308,294
Lorries on Register, June ...	No. 7,626	41,689	48,601	76,726	78,023	140,338	181,529
New Cars Registered during Year ...	No. 11,665	30,188	5,709	19,924	173	25,466	46,689
New Lorries Registered during Year ...	No. 3,161	7,497	2,400	7,712	3,805	11,674	29,076
Road Accidents Reported ...							
Persons Killed ...	No. 3,681	13,222	7,220	11,906	6,955	14,150	19,878
Persons Injured ...	No. 89	355	339	552	372	564	699
Persons Injured ...	No. 2,368	8,393	5,097	8,388	4,719	9,253	11,817
Telephone Instruments Connected, June ...	No. 125,995	193,718	188,694	257,246	308,016	397,919	465,893
Broadcast Listeners' Licences, June ...	No. 1,187	100,798	226,831	433,029	560,032	706,452	753,758
Public and Private Finance.							
State Revenue ...	£ thous. 37,352	46,241	41,769	51,098	71,942	97,862	130,318
State Expenditure from Revenue ...	£ thous. 37,251	48,160	44,977	53,558	70,758	97,698	130,285
State Expenditure from Loan Funds ...	£ thous. 9,775	16,093	7,798	8,788	3,029	22,960	41,168
State Public Debt—Total ...	£ thous. 207,761	267,798	324,739	359,878	351,971	396,494	462,241
Per head ...	£ 93	107	124	131	122	127	139
Nine Trading Banks—Deposits ...							
£ thous. 89,836	112,913	99,198	114,175	189,030	288,283	439,750	
£ thous. 82,579	95,834	90,950	119,266	88,309	146,483	184,437	
Savings Banks—Deposits ...							
£ thous. 66,174	85,728	75,714	87,474	162,867	244,483	284,466	
Per head ...	£ 30	35	29	32	56	78	85
Real Estate Conveyances and Transfers ...							
No. 60,751	58,537	25,499	50,295	32,447	86,201	108,732	
£ thous. 53,836	56,826	17,989	35,272	17,607	62,229	192,311	
Life Assurance—							
New Policies Issued ...	£ thous. 14,211	19,972	15,322	24,852	21,906	59,032	92,127
Policies in Force ...	£ thous. 86,443	122,555	127,420	184,182	238,883	383,681	466,135†
Social Services and Education.							
Expenditure by State (Excluding Loan)—							
Public Health ...	£ thous. 1,312	1,965	1,698	2,268	3,628	7,713	11,366
Education ...	£ thous. 6,337	4,638	3,677	5,365	6,292	11,207	15,846
Age and Invalid Pensioners, June ...	No. 61,257	78,550	104,483	129,312	130,648	167,462	173,367
Expend. £ thous. 2,683	3,835	4,324	6,360	8,807	17,442	20,805	
Public Hospitals — In-Patients No.	106,146	148,461	169,243	237,326	280,372	338,234	343,997**
Public and Private Schools—Pupils							
No. 380,838	424,263	451,991	439,908	438,339	462,921	503,080	
Technical Colleges — Students No.	10,234	15,326	17,102	30,865	34,940	61,883	64,977††

* Not available.

† Year 1950.

‡ Approximate.

§ Average of weekly figures.

¶ Base: 1936-37 to 1938-39=100.

|| Base: Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities, 1923 to 1927=1,000.

** Year 1949-50.

†† Year 1949.